

SCHOOL ATTORNEY

The Board recognizes that the complexity of school district operations requires access to legal advice. Therefore, the Board shall retain the services of an attorney or law firm.

A decision to seek legal advice or assistance on behalf of the school district shall normally be made by the superintendent or by persons specifically authorized by the superintendent. Such action may also take place as a consequence of formal Board direction.

Routine legal assistance does not require prior notification of the Board. The Board directs the superintendent to advise it if extraordinary types or amounts of legal services are required.

The performance of the school attorney shall be subject to evaluation on a continuing basis by the Board and superintendent. Appointment shall be for a one-year term with reappointment subject to a vote of the Board at the annual re-organization meeting.