



Reference: *Government Code Section 54952.2*

Members of the Board of Trustees shall not communicate among themselves by the use of any form of communication (e.g., personal intermediaries, e-mail, or other technological device) in order to reach a collective concurrence regarding any item that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees. In addition, no other person shall make serial communications to Board Members.

This policy shall not be construed as preventing an employee or official of the district from engaging in separate conversations or communications with members of the Board of Trustees outside of a meeting in order to answer questions or provide information regarding a matter that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees, if that person does not communicate to members of the Board of Trustees the comments or position of any other member or members of the Board of Trustees.

This policy shall also not be construed as preventing a member of the Board of Trustees from engaging in separate conversations or communications on an internet-based social media platform to answer questions, provide information to the public, or to solicit information from the public regarding a matter that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. In doing so, a majority of the members of the Board of Trustees may not use the internet-based social media platform to discuss among themselves business of a specific nature that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees. However, a member of the Board of Trustees shall not respond directly to any communication on an internet-based social media platform regarding a matter that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees that another member of the Board of Trustees has made, posted, or shared.

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