

Mitchell School District #55

Code: **BB**  
Adopted: 12/12/2007

**Board Legal Status**

The Board is a legal corporate body created by the statutes of the state of Oregon. Board members received their authority and responsibilities through state law. Pursuant to law, the Board is the education authority for the local school community. The Board formulates its own rules for the government of the schools and students of the district, consistent with the rules of the State Board of Education.

The Board is empowered to exercise all the powers of the district, selecting executive personnel and performing all duties essential to the successful operation of the schools. From the district viewpoint, the Board is considered as the local legislative body to which are entrusted, by law, the responsibilities of planning, executing and appraising the district educational program.

A majority vote of the members of the Board shall be necessary before the Board shall exercise any of its powers.

END OF POLICY

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**Legal Reference(s):**

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| ORS 255.335 | ORS 332.018 (1) | ORS 332.030 (4) |
| ORS 332.072 | ORS 332.075     | ORS 332.105     |
| ORS 332.107 | ORS 332.197     | ORS 333.107     |
| ORS 335.505 | ORS 341.125     |                 |

Article VIII, Section 3, Oregon Constitution