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Board of Directors Handbook

Mountain School

Article 1: Name of the Board

A. The name of the Board of directors shall be the Mountain School Board of Directors.

Article 2: Make-up of the Board

A. Members of the Mountain School Board of Directors shall consist of those existing members who were Board Members at the time Mt. Sch. became an Arizona Charter School.
B. The Board shall consist of five (5) members. Two of the members shall be elected by the board to serve for two years and three members shall be elected to serve for three years.
C. Any new member to the board must be recommended by the Director of Mt. Sch. and approved by the existing Board of Directors.
D. Any members of the board may be re-recommended and approved.
E. Board Members will meet the last Monday of each month no less than nine (9) times per year. Adequate public notice will be given.

Article 3: Powers and Duties of the Mountain School Board

General powers and duties

A. The Governing board shall:

1. Prescribe and enforce rules for the governance of the school, not inconsistent with law or rules prescribed by the Arizona State Board of Education.
2. Maintain the school established by it for the attendance of each pupil for a period of not less than one hundred seventy- five school days, or its equivalent as approved by superintendent of public education. To offer an alternative kindergarten program on the basis of five half days, or a three day school week and if funds are sufficient for a longer period, and as far as practicable with equal rights and privileges.
3. Exclude from the school all books, publications, papers or audiovisual materials of a sectarian or denominational character.
4. Manage and control the school property.

5. Acquire school furniture, apparatus, equipment, library books and supplies for the use of the school.
6. Approves the curricula, assessment and criteria for promotion and graduation of pupils. It shall include, but not limit to, assessment in reading, math and language. (As stated in Charter). Board will meet in July of the preceding school year for approval of curricula and purchase of new texts.
7. Furnish, repair and insure the school property of the school district.
8. Construct school buildings on approval of the Board of Directors of Mountain Elementary School and the Arizona Department of Education.
9. Purchase school sites or constructs, improve and furnish school buildings from the proceeds for the sale of school property only on approval by a vote of the Board.
10. Approve and enforce policies in the Student/Parent Handbook which states the procedures for disciplining students which include disorderly conduct, the possession of weapons and smoking on campus.
11. Approval of teacher contracts.
12. Privileged to employ and attorney to represent Mountain Elementary School.
13. Prescribe and enforce policies for disciplinary action against a teacher who engages in conduct which is a violation of the policies stated the Handbook for Teacher Conduct, but which is not the cause of dismissal of the teacher or for revocation of the certificate of the teacher. Disciplinary action may include suspension without pay for a period of time not to exceed ten school days. Disciplinary action shall not include suspension with out pay for a period of time longer than ten school days. The policies shall include notice, hearing and appeal procedures for violations which are cause for disciplinary action. The Board may designate a person or persons to act on behalf of the Board on these matters.
14. Prescribe and enforce policies for disciplinary action against administrators who engages in conduct which is violation of the policies of the governing board regarding duties of administrators but which is not cause for dismissal of the administrator or for revocation of the certificate of the administrator. Disciplinary action

may include suspension without pay for a period of time not to exceed ten school days. Disciplinary action shall not include suspension with pay or suspension without pay for longer than ten school days. The policies shall include notice, hearing, and appeal procedures for violations which are cause for disciplinary action. The governing board may designate a person or persons to act on behalf of the board on these matters. For violations which are cause for dismissal, the provisions of notice, hearing an appeal shall apply. The filing of a timely request for a hearing suspends the imposition of a suspension without pay or a dismissal pending completion of the hearing.

15. Approve rules relating the health and safety of all pupils participating in district sponsored practice sessions, games or other interscholastic athletic events, including the provision of water. A school district and its employees are immune from civil liability for the consequences of the good faith adoption and implementation of rules pursuant to this paragraph.
16. Provide special education programs and related services to children with disabilities.