Sacramento City USD Board Bylaw

Remuneration, Reimbursement And Other Benefits

BB 9250 Board Bylaws

Remuneration

Each member of the Governing Board may receive the maximum monthly compensation as provided for in law. The compensation of Board members shall be \$787.50 per month.

On an annual basis, the Board may increase the compensation of Board members beyond the limit delineated in Education Code 35120 in an amount not to exceed five percent based on the present monthly rate of compensation. Any increase made pursuant to this section shall be effective upon approval by the Board. (Education Code 35120)

Board members are not required to accept payment for meetings attended.

If a member does not attend all Board meetings during the month, he/she is eligible to receive a percentage of the monthly compensation equal to the percentage of meetings attended unless otherwise authorized by the Board in accordance with law. If no Board meetings are held in any one month, the stipend will be paid for that month. Meetings called for the sole purpose of negotiations are exempt from stipend provisions. (Education Code 35120)

Members may be paid for meetings missed when the Board, by resolution, finds that they were performing designated services for the district at the time of the meeting or that they were absent because of illness, jury duty or a hardship deemed acceptable by the Board. (Education Code 35120)

Reimbursement of Expenses

Board members shall be reimbursed for all expenses incurred in attending meetings or making trips on official district business when so authorized in advance by the Board. (Education Code 35044)

The rate of reimbursement shall not exceed limitations specified for district personnel.

(cf. 4133 - Travel Expenses) (cf. 9240 - Board Development)

Health and Welfare Benefits

The district shall pay the cost of premiums for board members electing to participate in the district health and welfare benefit program (Board member only). Health and welfare benefits for Board members may elect to participate for dependent coverage at their own expense.

Benefits for Retired Board Members

Any members retiring from the Board after at least one term may continue the health and welfare benefits program at their own expense if coverage is in effect at the time of retirement.

Legal Reference: EDUCATION CODE 1090 Compensation for members and mileage allowance 33050-33053 General waiver authority 33362-33363 Reimbursement of expenses (Department of Education and CSBA workshops) 35012 Board members; number, election and term 35044 Payment of traveling expenses of representatives of board 35120 Compensation (services as member of governing board) 35172 Promotional activities 44038 Cash deposits for transportation purchased on credit **GOVERNMENT CODE** 20322 Elective officers: election to become member 53200-53209 Group insurance **UNITED STATES CODE. TITLE 26** 403(b) Tax-sheltered annuities COURT DECISIONS Thorning v. Hollister School District, (1992) 11 Cal.App.4th 1598 Board of Education of the Palo Alto Unified School District v. Superior Court of Santa Clara County, (1979) 93 Cal.App.3d 578 ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINIONS 83 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 124 (2000)

Management Resources: WEB SITES CSBA: http://www.csba.org Public Employees' Retirement System: http://www.calpers.ca.gov

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