

# NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT 29

## CHESTERFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

**GBD**

### **BOARD-EMPLOYEE COMMUNICATIONS**

The Board desires to maintain open channels of communication between itself and the staff.

#### Staff Communications to the Board

All official reports to the Board or any Board committee from Principals, supervisors, teachers, or other staff members may be submitted through the Superintendent.

#### Board Communications to Staff

All official communications, policies, and directives of staff interest and concern will be communicated to staff members through the Superintendent, and the Superintendent will employ all such media as are appropriate to keep staff fully informed of the Board's problems, concerns, and actions.

#### Visits to Schools

Official visits by Board members will be carried on only under Board authorization and with the full knowledge of the Superintendent and Principals.

#### Social Interaction

Staff and Board members share a keen interest in the Schools and in education generally, and it is to be expected that, when they meet at social affairs and other functions, they will informally discuss such matters as educational trends, issues, and innovations and general District problems. However, individual Board members have no special authority excepting when they are convened at a legal meeting of the Board or vested with special authority by Board action. Therefore, discussions by either party of personalities or personnel grievances may be considered as evidence of unethical conduct.

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