A member of the Board of Trustees shall not have any direct pecuniary interest in a contract with the school, nor shall he or she furnish directly any labor, equipment, or supplies to the school.

A member of the Board of Trustees shall not be employed by the school.

In the event a Trustee is employed by a corporation or business or has a secondary interest in a corporation or business which furnishes goods or services to the school district, the Trustee shall declare his/her interest and refrain from debating or voting upon the question of contracting with the company.

It is not the intent of this policy to prevent the district from contracting with corporations or businesses because a Trustee is an employee of the firm. The policy is designed to prevent placing a Trustee in a position where his/her interest in the public schools and his/her interest in his/her place of employment (or other indirect interest) might conflict and to avoid appearances of conflict of interest even though such conflict may not exist.

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