

***Policy Type: Board/Superintendent Relationship***

**Unity Of Control**

Only decisions of the Board acting as an entity are binding on the Superintendent.

Accordingly:

1. Decisions or instructions of individual Board members, officers or committees are not binding on the Superintendent except in rare instances when the Board has specifically authorized or emergency conditions require such exercise of authority
2. In the case of Board members or committees requesting information or assistance without Board authorization, the Superintendent can refuse such requests that require, in the Superintendent's opinion, a material amount of staff time or resources or that are disruptive or unreasonable

Adopted: June 2017

***Monitoring Method: Board self-assessment***  
***Monitoring Frequency: June Retreat***