

SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION CONFERENCES, CONVENTIONS AND WORKSHOPS

In keeping with the need for continuous quality improvement, inservice training, and development for its members, the Board of Education encourages the participation of all members at appropriate school Board of Education conferences, workshops and conventions. However, in order to control both the investment of time and funds necessary to implement this policy, the Board of Education establishes these principles and procedures for its guidance:

1. A calendar of school Board of Education conferences, conventions and workshops shall be maintained by the Board of Education secretary. The Board of Education shall decide periodically which meetings appear to be most promising in terms of producing direct and indirect benefits to the school district.
2. Funds for participation at such meetings shall be budgeted for on an annual basis. When funds are limited, the Board of Education shall designate which of its members would be the most appropriate to participate at a given meeting.
3. When a conference, convention or workshop is not attended by the full Board of Education, those who do participate shall be requested to share information, recommendations and materials acquired at the meeting.
4. Board of Education members should not apply to attend conferences within six months of their term's expiration date. The Board of Education may consider exceptions on a case by case basis.

Current practice codified 1980

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LEGAL REFS.: C.R.S. § 22-32-110(1)(n)

CROSS REFS.: BID-BIE, Board of Education Member Compensation and Expenses/Insurance/Liability
DKC, Expense Authorization/Reimbursement
KCA, School Community Relations