

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES
CARSON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**BYLAW No. 020
ARTICLE II**

AUTHORITY AND POWERS

Section 1. Authority

The supervision of the public schools of this District shall be conducted by the Board of Trustees, hereinafter sometimes referred to as the “Board,” which shall be a body corporate and which is constituted and is governed by Title 34 – Education, of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

Section 2. Powers

The Board serves as a policy-making body and employs a Superintendent to serve as the executive officer. The Board’s major function is to develop and adopt policy governing many facets of school operations, including District planning, goal setting, employment of personnel, administration of student services, educational programs, instructional materials, school facilities, equipment, school finance, and support services and any other duties as authorized by law.

In formulating policies, the Board shall adopt general principles which provide authority and responsibility for the Superintendent and administrative staff to take action. The application of such policies to specific situations, personnel and activities is an administrative detail to be performed by the Superintendent and the administrative staff. It shall be the duty of the Board to reappraise its policies at least once every ten (10) years, as conditions demand in view of the needs of the schools, the community, and as dictated by State and Federal Law.

- a. The Board possesses such reasonable and necessary powers, not conflicting with the constitution and laws of the State of Nevada, as may be requisite to attain the ends for which the public schools are established and to promote the welfare of school children, including the establishment and operation of schools and classes deemed necessary and desirable.
- b. Board members have no authority as individuals and do not severally possess the powers that reside in the Board of Trustees, except when and as expressly authorized by the Board.
- c. The Board has no powers when not in session, except for such powers as may be delegated by the Board to a committee thereof.
- d. The Board shall adopt and use a seal, the custodian of which shall be the Superintendent.

Reference: NRS 386.010, NRS 386.350, NRS 386.340

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