

## **BB 9230 ORIENTATION**

The Board invites all Board candidates to attend public Board meetings during the period of their candidacy so that insofar as possible, new members will be prepared to discuss and cast informed votes on matters before the Board from the time they are sworn into office.

The Superintendent shall cooperate impartially with all candidates in providing them with information about district activities and school programs.

The Board and the Superintendent and/or designee(s) shall help each newly elected member understand the Board's commitment to board standards, district operations and the Board's functions, policies and procedures as soon after election as possible. Incoming members shall read the Board's policies and informational materials on the function of the Board and the school system, to visit school facilities, and to meet with the Superintendent and Board president, as needed to become oriented to Board service.

The incoming member is encouraged to attend, at District expense, workshops for newly elected members, including such in-person and online conferences and workshops conducted by the Association of Alaska School Boards.

*(cf. 9020 – Board Standards)*

*(cf. 9240 – Board Development)*

*Legal Reference:*

ALASKA STATUTES

14.14.160 *Cooperation and support of certain association functions*

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