## ITEM

## **<u>SUBJECT</u>**: Board Member Continuing Education Hours

## **RATIONALE:**

Per State Board of Education rule, members of the Board of Trustees are obligated and expected to receive annual continuing education hours in area such as team building, legislation and governance. During the first year of board service, board members are shall obtain ten hours of continuing education. Each subsequent year, board members shall receive at least five hours of continuing education.

Policy BBD (LEGAL) states, "Annually, at the last regular meeting of the Board held during a calendar year, the Board President shall announce, and the minutes must reflect the name of each Board member who has completed the required training, who has exceeded the required hours of training and who is deficient in the required training as of the date of the meeting."

Board member continuing education hours to date are:

- Z.T. Burkett- 11 hours
- Dori Cawley- 2 hours
- Meredith Lucas- 2 hours
- Andrea Lowery- 13 hours
- Pat Martin- 16 hours
- David McClendon- 6 hours
- Stan Peavy- 14 hours

Once we complete the required annual team building training all board members will have the required hours of continuing education.

## **CONTACT PERSON(S):**

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