

7.2.6. Gift and Gratuity Rule

Except as herein permitted, no employee or official of the School District shall accept or agree to accept, directly or indirectly, any gift gratuity, or other thing of value from any person or entity who has or is seeking to obtain a contractual, business, or other financial relationship with the School District. The purchase of a meal or other like incidental expenditure made in the course of, preceding or following, a conference to inform a School District employee or official concerning a proposed or existing contractual, business or other financial relationship with the School District shall not be deemed a violation of this section, provided the expenditure for such employee or official does not exceed \$10.00. Every School District employee or official who recommends, or votes on, the District's entering into, continuing, or expanding any contractual, business, or other financial relationship with any person or entity shall, at the time of making such recommendation, report every gift, gratuity, or other thing of value, including meals and incidental expenditures, received from or promised by such person or entity as well as any other relationship that may exist between the one making the recommendation and the person or entity recommended which may have a bearing on the decision of whether the recommendation should be adopted.