

## **BOARD STANDARDS**

The Board Standards developed by the Association of Alaska School Boards and listed below have been adopted by the Craig City School Board as a standard of performance that this school board will constantly strive to meet.

### **VISION**

*The Board Creates A Shared Vision To Enhance Student Achievement*

- 1.1 Board develops a dynamic shared vision for education that reflects student needs and community priorities.
- 1.2 Board keeps the district and community focused on educating students.
- 1.3 Board demonstrates its strong commitment to vision by using the shared vision to guide decision making.

### **STRUCTURE**

*The Board Provides A Structure That Supports The Vision*

- 2.1 Board establishes a management system that results in effective decision making processes and enables all the people to help the district achieve its vision and make the best use of its resources.
- 2.2 Board ensures that long and short term plans are developed and annually revised through a process involving extensive participation, information gathering, research, and reflection.
- 2.3 Board sets high instructional standards based on the best available information about the knowledge and skills students will need in the future.
- 2.4 Board acts to ensure vision and structure comply with legal requirements.
- 2.5 Board encourages and supports innovative approaches to teaching, learning, and the continuous renewal of education.

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### **ACCOUNTABILITY**

*The Board Measures District Performance Toward Accomplishing the Vision And Reports the Results To The Public.*

- 3.1 Board receives regular reports on student progress and needs based on a variety of assessments to evaluate the quality and equity of the educational program.
- 3.2 Board evaluates the superintendent and board performance annually and reports the result to the public.
- 3.3 Board ensures long and short term plans are evaluated and revised with the needs of students in mind.
- 3.4 Board uses an understandable format to periodically report district performance to the public.

### **ADVOCACY**

*The Board Champions The Vision*

- 4.1 Board leads in celebrating the achievements of students and accomplishments of others who contribute to education.
- 4.2 Board advocates for children and families and establishes strong relationships with parents and other mentors to help support students.
- 4.3 Board establishes partnerships with individuals, groups, and organizations to promote educational opportunities for all students.
- 4.4 Board promotes school board service as a meaningful way to make long term contributions to the local community and society.
- 4.5 The board is proactive in identifying and addressing issues that affect the education of students.

### **CONDUCT & ETHICS**

*The Board And Its Individual Members Conduct District Business In A Fair, Respectful, And Responsible Manner*

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- 5.1 Board and its individual members act in a manner that reflects service to the community on behalf of students.
- 5.2 Board demonstrates a commitment to continually improving teamwork, problem solving, and decision making skills through a conscious program of board development.
- 5.3 Expenditures for board activities are clearly identified in the budget, related to the district vision, and open to public scrutiny.

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