MANAGEMENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Relations With Vendors

Financial and business transactions of the District shall be carried out in conformity with the law and consistent with sound and ethical business practices. Purchasing decisions shall be made on the basis of objectivity and shall not be influenced by friendships or other personal relationships. Board members, administrators, or staff shall not accept a gift or favor from vendors or prospective vendors or other firms or individuals who have had or hope to have transactions with the District. Interests of board members, administrators, or staff in any District purchase, sale, or other transaction shall be prohibited.

Legal References: RCW 42.23.030 Interest in contract prohibited--Excepted cases RCW 42.23.040 Remote interests

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