Subject: BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBER DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

1. The Board of Directors may plan and authorize specific in-service activities and resources designed to assist Board members to improve their skills as members of a policy-making body; to expand the members' knowledge about trends, issues and new ideas affecting the continued welfare of local schools; and, to deepen members' insights into the nature of leadership in a modern democratic society.

2. Funds may be budgeted annually to support such activities and resources. Individual Board members shall be reimbursed for out-of-pocket expenses incurred through participation in approved activities. The Board of Directors, as a whole, shall retain the authority to approve or disapprove expenditure of funds for participation of individual member's activities.