GARDEN GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD POLICY

ANNUAL EVALUATION OF SUPERINTENDENT'S PERFORMANCE

Superintendent/Board Relations

- Informs the Board of the District's needs, operations, and issues.
- Provides professional advice and appropriate backup discussion on items requiring Board action.
- Is an effective liaison between Board and staff.
- Seeks and accepts constructive criticism of personal performance.
- Provides public support for the Board with public and staff.
- Is able to work harmoniously with the Board.
- Remains impartial with Board members
- Supports the intent of Board policy and actions, and actions to the public and staff.

Staff/Personnel Relationships

- Develops and executes sound personnel procedures and practices.
- Fosters positive staff morale and loyalty.
- Treats all personnel fairly while insisting on performance.
- Delegates authority and involves appropriate staff members and groups in planning, and implementing programs and change.
- Holds staff accountable for results, giving commendation for good work as well as constructive suggestions for improvement.
- Contributes to personnel trust of the District.
- Recruits and assigns the best available personnel in terms of their competence.
- Establishes an effective working relationship with various certificated/classified employee organizations.
- Supports Board intent with regard to contract negotiations.

Community Relationships

- Has the respect and support of the community as an educational leader.
- Gives attention to concerns, problems, and opinions of all groups and individuals.
- Actively participates in community life and affairs.
- Works effectively with local public and private agencies.

Administration of the District

- Is able to establish priorities for issues faced by the District.
- Provides the required leadership for dealing with problems.
- Maintains an open climate for consensus problem-solving.
- Maintains a leadership style that assures the Board's desired level of employee morale.
- Encourages the utilization of talents and expertise of the staff.
- Keeps the Board and staff informed of external issues on events that may impact the District.
- Provides the Board with a written agenda and appropriate backup materials prior to each Board meeting.

Educational Leadership

- Understands and keeps informed regarding all aspects of the instructional program.
- Participates with staff, Board members, and community in efforts for curriculum improvement.
- Implements the District's philosophy of education and organizes a planned program of curriculum evaluation and improvement.
- Maintains a process for curriculum development that utilizes the abilities and talents of the entire professional staff.
- Focuses on results.
- Exemplifies and inspires others to the highest professional standards.

Business & Finance

- Supervises long-range, strategic planning to maximize, and focus, the use of District resources.
- Ensures that sound business practices are in place and are supervised for competent and efficient performance.
- Ensures the maintenance of adequate control and accounting procedures.
- Evaluates financial needs and makes recommendations for budgeting
- Ensures District facilities are well maintained.

Board Priorities/Goals (Varies by year)

Leadership Effectiveness

- Maintains high standards of ethics, honesty, and integrity in all personal and professional matters.
- Devotes time and energy to the job.
- Demonstrates an ability to work well with individuals and groups.
- Demonstrates a sense of humor.
- Exercises good judgment and uses appropriate processes in arriving at decisions.
- Writes clearly and concisely.
- Speaks well in front of large and small groups, expressing ideas in a logical and forthright manner.
- Thinks quickly and effectively under pressure.
- Promotes a personal vision of a high quality school district.
- Creates a feeling of unity and enthusiasm; maintains good staff morale.

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