

MONTEREY PENINSULA COLLEGE
GOVERNING BOARD POLICIES

1000 SERIES GOVERNING BOARD POLICIES

A. Organization and Procedures of the Governing Board

1005 Composition and Authority of the Governing Board

The five (5) members, each elected at large for a four (4) year term constitute the Board of Trustees of the Monterey Peninsula Community College District. The Governing Board derives its authority for the development, management, control and operation of all properties, programs, policies and procedures of the District and College from Sections 72200-72282 of the Education Code of the State of California. The Board is subject to the provisions of the Constitution of the State of California, the laws of the State of California, particularly the Education Code, specific federal laws, the Rules and Regulation of Title 5, California Administrative Code, its own policies and procedures, and the expressed will of the electorate.

The Board may initiate and carry on programs, activities, or otherwise act in any manner, which is not in conflict with or inconsistent with or preempted by, any law, and which is not in conflict with the purpose for which the College District was established.

Board members have authority only when acting as a Board of Trustees legally in session or at the direction of a majority of the Board. The District shall not be bound in any way by any statement or action on the part of any individual Board member or employee, except when such statement or action is in pursuance of specific instructions of the Board.

Reference: Education Code 72200, 72233.

Formerly Governing Board Policies 1.1, 1.2 and 1.8.

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