Santa Barbara Unified School District
Board Policy

Facilities

FUNDRAISING FOR THE PURPOSE OF AUGMENTING BOND AND CAPITAL FUNDS

The Governing Board bears responsibility for the expenditure of public funds, including bond and other capital funds, and must ensure that bond funds are used for their intended purpose.

The Board greatly appreciates efforts by various groups to augment bond or other capital funds in order to expand the scope of projects funded through bond monies. The Board also recognizes its responsibility to ensure that other projects are not negatively impacted if fundraising efforts do not meet the goal. The Superintendent shall establish administrative regulations to outline the procedures and timelines to be followed by groups wishing to augment bond or other capital funds. In reviewing fundraising proposals, the board shall review how the proposed project fits within district facilities and grounds priorities and parity between schools shall be considered carefully.

Legal Reference:
EDUCATION CODE
15100-15254 Bonds for school districts and community college districts
15264-15288 Strict Accountability in Local School Construction Bonds Act of 2000
17577 Sewers and drains
47614 Charter school facilities
ELECTIONS CODE
324 General election
328 Local election
341 Primary election
348 Regular election
356 Special election
357 Statewide election
1302 School district election
GOVERNMENT CODE
1090-1098 Prohibitions applicable to specified officers
1125-1129 Incompatible activities
CALIFORNIA CONSTITUTION
Article 13A, Section 1 Tax limitation
Article 16, Section 18 Debt limit

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