



**MONTEREY PENINSULA**  
College

**GOVERNING BOARD POLICIES**

**Chapter 2 Board of Trustees**

**2430**

**BP 2430 Delegation of Authority to the Superintendent/President**

The Board of Trustees delegates to the Superintendent/President the executive responsibility for administering the policies adopted by the Board and executing all decisions of the Board requiring administrative action. The Board gives the Superintendent/President full authority to implement board policies and ensure effective operations and fulfillment of the institutional mission.

The Superintendent/President may delegate any powers and duties entrusted to them by the Board, including the administration of colleges and centers, but will be specifically responsible to the Board for the execution of such delegated powers and duties.

BOARD POLICY ADMINISTRATION AND DEVELOPMENT

The Superintendent/President is empowered to reasonably interpret, implement, and administer Board policy. In situations where there is no board policy direction, the Superintendent/President shall have the power to act, but such decisions shall be subject to review by the Board. It is the duty of the Superintendent/President to inform the Board of such action and to recommend written Board policy if one is required.

The Superintendent/President shall act as the professional advisor to the Board in policy formation.

PERFORMANCE OF JOB DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Superintendent/President is expected to perform the duties contained in the Superintendent/President job description and fulfill other responsibilities as may be determined in annual goal-setting or evaluation sessions. The job description and goals and objectives for performance shall be developed by the Board in consultation with the Superintendent/President.

DISTRICT OPERATIONS

The Superintendent/President shall ensure that all relevant laws and regulations are complied with, and that required reports are submitted in a timely fashion.

COMPLIANCE WITH BOARD REQUESTS

The Superintendent/President shall make available any information or give any report requested by the Board as a whole. Individual trustee requests for information shall be met if, in the opinion of the Superintendent/President, they are not unduly burdensome or disruptive to District operations. Information provided to any trustee shall be available to all trustees.

The Governing Board shall not delegate any power that is expressly made nondelegable by statute.

See Administrative Procedure 2430 -- Delegation of Authority to the Superintendent/President



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**References:** Education Code Sections 70902 subdivision (d) and 72400;  
ACCJC Accreditation Standard 4.5

**Formerly Governing Board Policy 1050 -- Executive Officer of the Governing Board**

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