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MEDFORD AREA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

DATE ADOPTED:	**January 17, 1991**	**FILE SECTOR:**	**BOARD GOVERNANCE & OPERATIONS**
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DATE REVISED:	**December 17, 2009**	**POLICY TITLE:**	**BOARD MEMBER AUTHORITY**
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It is understood that the members of the Medford Area Public School District Board of Education have authority only when acting as a board legally in session. The board of education shall not be bound in any way by any action or statement on the part of any individual board of education member, except when such statement or action is in pursuance of specific instructions from the board of education or otherwise provided by law.

The individual participation of board of education members shall take place in scheduled board of education and scheduled committee meetings which are the basic manner in which they fulfill their responsible positions. The method of participation is through discussion, deliberation, debate and voting.

No board of education member, by virtue of his/her office, shall exercise any administrative responsibility with respect to the schools or, as an individual, command the services of any school employee.

CROSS REFERENCE: BBA, BBB, BBF, & BCB
LEGAL REFERENCE: 19.59, 120.12, 120.13, & 120.15-120.17 Wis. Statutes