

Title :	Formulation/Definition of Policies	
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The District Governing Board recognizes its responsibility for making policy for the institution and the responsibility of the College President and his/her staff for the operation and administration of the College.

The District Governing Board expects the College staff and faculty to evaluate the effectiveness of the policies approved by the District Governing Board and to propose policies to the District Governing Board which they perceive would enhance College programs. To this extent the College staff and faculty will be involved in both the implementation and the proposed formulation of policies.

New policies desired by the staff or faculty should be proposed to the College President for review and recommendation to the District Governing Board with appropriate justification.

Policies and regulations will be numbered with District Governing Board Policies being assigned integer numbers (e.g. Policy 0000) and Administrative Regulation implementing District Governing Board Policy with decimated numbers (e.g. Regulations 0000.01, 0000.02, etc.).

District Governing Board Policy will be defined as an expression of beliefs or judgments derived from an assessment of a set of values adopted by the District Governing Board as a guide to present and future action. Policy should be broad in scope because many decisions have to be made within the framework provided. Policy should be undetailed, clear, and concise. The two key items to be addressed by policy are "what" and "why."

