

Policy 205.4

BOARD MEMBER SERVICES

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USE OF LEGAL COUNSEL

The Board of Education shall annually budget for legal costs that may be incurred during the budget year by the district.

A member of the Board, the Superintendent or Superintendent's designee, shall be authorized to obtain the services of legal counsel for the district when they deem it desirable to utilize legal counsel. The Board or Superintendent when selecting possible counsel shall consider the nature of the event for which counsel is needed. If the event is one for which it would be desirable to utilize counsel which specializes in such events, then the board shall proceed accordingly.

The board is authorized to enter into an arrangement to secure the services of legal counsel on a retainer basis if so desired.

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