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A. GOVERNANCE BY POLICIES

The primary duty and function of the Board of Directors is to establish policies for the governance of the District. It is the policy of the Board to delegate to the Fire Chief and staff the responsibility for the day-to-day administration of the District, in a manner consistent with the policies and directions of the Board.

B. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

Policies shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations. If any policy or portion thereof is found to conflict with any local, state, or federal law or regulation, such policy shall be deemed void without further Board action. It shall be the responsibility of all District personnel to bring any such conflict to the Board's attention immediately upon discovery.

C. COMPLIANCE WITH POLICIES

All District personnel shall comply with the policies adopted by the Board of Directors. Any failure to comply shall constitute grounds for disciplinary action or termination.

D. POLICIES DO NOT CREATE RIGHTS

Policies of the District shall not create any enforceable right, contract, employment agreement or expectation on the part of any person; and any deviation from a District policy shall not in itself render any District action invalid, void or voidable, nor shall such deviation constitute evidence of negligence. The Board may deviate from policy when to do so serve the public interest or would avoid hardship as the Board may determine.