Board Representatives

The Yolo County Board of Education ("County Board") recognizes that effective performance of its community leadership responsibilities may require its participation on various committees on matters of concern to the County Board, the Yolo County Office of Education ("YCOE"), or the districts, schools, and students within its jurisdiction. The County Board may appoint any of its members to serve as its representative on a committee of another public agency or organization of which the County Board is a member or to which the County Board is invited to participate.

If a committee discusses a topic on which the County Board has taken a position, the County Board member shall express the position of the County Board. When contributing their own ideas or opinions, the representative shall very clearly indicate that they are expressing their individual idea or opinion and not the opinions of the County Board.

When making such appointments, the County Board shall clearly specify the authority and responsibilities of the representative(s), including, but not limited to, reporting back to the County Board regarding committee activities and/or actions. County Board representatives shall not exercise the authority of the County Board without prior County Board approval.

County Board members serving on these bodies shall act in an advisory or liaison capacity only, and no action by these bodies shall be binding on the County Board, except in those cases where the County Board has entered into a proper agreement with an autonomous body and the County Board appointee serves as an equal voting member along with representatives from other jurisdictions.

Legal Reference:

Education Code, 1040-1047, 35160-35160.2

Government Code, 54952.2

Management Resources:

Websites

CSBA: http://www.csba.org

California County Boards of Education: http://www.thecbbe.org

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