# **Southwestern Oregon Community College**

## **BP 2006** Board Legal Status

## **Purpose:**

To establish the legal status and operational structure of the college.

### Statement:

The Board of Education and the college community are subject to the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, the Oregon Revised Statutes, and the policies of the Board.

The Board shall operate in a consistent manner, following the policies of the Board and, unless otherwise noted, adhere to the following operational proceedings.

- The Board derives its organization and authority from the Oregon Revised Statutes, Chapter 341 Community Colleges.
- The Board shall comply with Chapter 341 of the Oregon Revised Statutes and all other appropriate federal, state and accrediting statutory regulations.
- The Board is composed of seven members, elected at large by the residents of the College District, each serving four-year terms of office.

### Legal Reference(s):

ORS 341 009, .275, .287, .327, .331 ORS 255.335

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