

Community Relations

Gifts to the District

The Board of Education accepts gifts from any education foundation or other entity or individual, provided the gift can be used in a manner compatible with the Board's educational objectives and policies. While the Board encourages unrestricted gifts, donations to fund specific projects are acceptable if the project is approved by the Board. All gifts received become the School District's property. The Board reserves the right to refuse any donation.

Naming Policy

The Board of Education will consider naming buildings, programs, parts of buildings, or outdoor facilities on either campus as follows:

To recognize individuals who have attained achievements of extraordinary and lasting distinction. These will be individuals who have had direct, substantial, and active association with the District, and have demonstrated meritorious service over a period of years. The written nomination shall be submitted to the Superintendent. The nomination must contain specific and detailed information about the nature and extent of the nominee's contributions to the District. Those contributions should be clearly significant, extraordinary and exclusive of employment with the District. The nomination shall be forwarded to a committee appointed by the Superintendent. The committee will research the nomination and present a recommendation to the Board of Education for action.

To recognize benefactors (individuals, corporations, or other organizations) who have made substantial financial contributions to the District. Naming opportunities may include new or existing facilities. The donation for naming rights to a new facility must equal at least one-half the cost for construction.

The Board of Education retains the right to remove names of any buildings, programs, parts of buildings, or outdoor facilities.

LEGAL REF.: 105 ILCS 5/16-1.

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