

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Purchasing: Relations with Vendors

All financial and business transactions of the district shall be carried out in conformity with the law and consistent with sound and ethical business practices. All purchasing decisions shall be made on the basis of objectivity and shall not be influenced by friendships or other personal relationships. No director or staff member shall accept a gift or favor from vendors or prospective vendors or other firms or individuals which was intended to influence their decisions. Interests of directors in any district purchase, sale or other transaction shall be prohibited. The superintendent shall establish a code of ethics applicable to district employees in transactions involving the school district.

Please see Purchasing Office Purpose and Code of Ethics, Policy No. 7320.

Legal Reference:	RCW 42.23.030	Interest in Contract Prohibited--Excepted Cases
	42.23.040	Remote Interest

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