

## **BOARD DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITY**

The Board of Trustees governs on behalf of the citizens of the Mendocino-Lake Community College District in accordance with the authority granted and duties defined in Education Code Section 70902.

The Board is committed to fulfilling its responsibilities to:

- Represent the public interest
- Establish policies that define the institutional mission and set prudent, ethical and legal standards for college operations
- Assure the Board operates in an open, accessible, inclusive, welcoming spirit, and maintains an anti-racist culture
- Establish policies that ensure the District operates in an anti-racist and nondiscriminatory manner
- Hire and evaluate the Superintendent/President
- Delegate power and authority to the chief executive to effectively lead the District
- Assure fiscal health and stability
- Monitor institutional performance and educational quality
- Advocate for and protect the District

Reference: ACCJC Accreditation Standard IV

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