

BP 2010 Board Membership

Reference:

***Education Code Sections 72023, 72103; 72104;
ACCJC Accreditation Standard IV.C.6***

The Gavilan Joint Community College Board shall consist of seven (7) members elected by trustee area as defined in Board Policy 2100.

Any employee of the District may not be sworn into office as an elected or appointed member of the governing board unless he or she resigns as an employee.

No member of the governing board shall, during the term for which he or she is elected, hold an incompatible office.

Any person who meets the criteria as described in the Education Code Section 72103 is eligible to be elected or appointed as a member of the Board.

Upon election to the Board of Trustees, new board members will go through an orientation process. Veteran board members can go through the orientation upon request.

New Board Member Orientation

General – Discussion with the Superintendent/President

1. Overview of California Community Colleges
 - a. Missions of California community colleges
 - b. California Community Colleges Board of Governors
 - c. State Chancellor's Office
 - d. Education Code
 - e. California Code of Regulations Title 5
2. Role of the Board of Trustees
 - a. Policy setting body
 - b. Legal authority and responsibility to govern
 - c. Financial management
 - d. Hiring/Firing of CEO
 - e. College shared governance structure
3. Conducting Board Meetings
 - a. The Brown Act
 - i. Open Session
 - ii. Closed Session
4. Relationship Between Board and CEO
5. Board Member Compensation and Benefits
6. Involvement in Community and College Events
7. Student Demographics

8. Strategic Plan and Mission of the College

9. Organizational Chart

Accreditation Process

1. Accreditation Standards

2. Team Members and development of self-study

3. Site visit

Financial Management

Amended by the Board of Trustees: January 12, 2016

Amended by the Board of Trustees: January 10, 2006

Amended by the Board of Trustees: February 8, 2005

Approved by the Board of Trustees: June 12, 2001