

BOARD POLICIES	BOARD MEMBER EMERITUS (BP-2032) METRO TECHNOLOGY CENTERS	The on-line version of the policy is official. Therefore, all printed versions are unofficial copies.
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1.0 POLICY:

Conferral of emeritus status is an honor that may be granted by the Board of Education to board members who have provided dedicated and distinguished service to the mission of Metro Technology Centers (MTC) and are no longer serving in this capacity, whether through resignation, election, death (posthumously), or otherwise.

A. Emeritus Status for Board Members

Metro Technology Centers is grateful for the past service and numerous contributions of its board members, recognizes their potential as a continuing valuable resource, and is committed to fostering an active, ongoing relationship with them. They are encouraged to engage in service to the district in whatever ways are found to be satisfying and mutually beneficial. In particular, the district, as an appreciative beneficiary of their contributions, will facilitate their efforts by making available its resources and other services wherever feasible and legally permissible.

B. Eligibility

The Board of Education grants emeritus status in recognition of dedicated service at MTC. Any board member who has served at least three terms and held the Office of President is eligible for emeritus status. The Board of Education may make exceptions to these eligibility requirements in cases of exceptional distinguished service.

C. Procedure

The Superintendent initiates the request for approval of the board member emeritus using the following procedure:

1. The superintendent submits a formal request to the Board of Education for emeritus status upon notification of a board member's leaving office, whether through resignation, election, death, or otherwise.
2. Recommendations for emeritus status must include the following information:
 - Nominee's name and offices held
 - Beginning and ending dates of service
 - Brief description of the extraordinary and meritorious contributions to the fulfillment of the district's mission.

The Board of Education deliberates the board member emeritus status for the nominee at the next scheduled board meeting. Upon approval, emeritus status is awarded and formal presentation made to the individual at the next most convenient board meeting.

2.0 CROSS REFERENCE: N/A

3.0 REVISION HISTORY:

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<u>Date:</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Description of Revision:</u>
04-7-09	A	Adopted
09-22-10	B	Revised format
07-May-13	C	Blanket approval granted by Board of Education to update all policies to approved format and to remove two sections: 2.0 Legal Reference and 5.0 PCF Framework

***** End of Policy *****