

Board Member Questions and Answers

Prior to Nov. 6, 2023, Policy Committee Meeting

4.1: Consider Approval of Board Budget Policy

Under Budget Management section, 3rd paragraph second sentence: Remove the phrase about vendor selection. Create a separate sentence to address vendor selection.

- The board may only vote on funding for proposed purchases or expenditures that go through the procurement process, as stipulated by the NM....
- Board members may not engage in vendor selection nor should board members appear to influence vendor selection in any way.

I also suggest we add the following sentence in this paragraph:

- Board members who receive campaign contributions from vendors that come before the board for approval will recuse themselves from voting on those items.