



The Board has a need to gather information, to seek counsel, and to be informed of the opinions of others regarding such matters as may be determined by the Board; this need may be met by joint membership committees. The Board may originate such committees and invite others to participate or the Board may appoint representation in response to invitations for membership on committees originated by other agencies. Cooperative committees shall function within the terms of reference determined by the Committee and approved by all parties.

Board representation on outside organizations is based on the Board's need to provide and receive information on matters relating to the operation of the Board. Board representatives to outside organizations shall act on behalf of the Board on issues authorized by the Board and bring recommendations to the Board.

Board representatives shall report to the Board.

The Superintendent may appoint resource personnel to work with representatives and shall determine roles, responsibilities and reporting requirements of resource personnel. The Superintendent or designate shall keep a list of all Board representatives.

At the Board's organizational meeting or other times throughout the year, the Board may choose to select trustee representatives to represent Golden Hills Board and support their attendance at meetings of various provincial or local organizations. Examples include: the Alberta School Boards Association (ASBA) Zone 5, the Public School Boards' Association of Alberta (PSBAA) and the Rural Caucus.

**Legal Reference:**

- School Act, R.S.A. 2000, C. S-3, S. 60, 61, 62, 63