

BP 7600 Campus Safety Officers

Reference:

Education Code Sections 72330.5 et seq.;

Penal Code Sections 832 et seq.;

Government Code Sections 3300 et seq.;

Title 5 Sections 51028, 51100, 51102, and 59700 et seq.

- 1.0 It is the policy of the Board of Trustees to protect the property of the District and to provide reasonable security measures to protect the District's students, employees, and visitors while on campus, with the understanding that students, employees, and visitors must assume the primary responsibility for their own personal safety and the security of their personal belongs.
- 2.0 The District shall employ campus safety officers, who shall provide services as security guards or patrol persons on or about the campuses owned or operated by the District. Their duties include, but are not limited to, protecting persons or property, preventing theft and vandalism of District property, and reporting any unlawful activity to the District and local law enforcement.
- 3.0 The Chancellor or designee shall enter into an agreement with local law enforcement agencies to request assistance for incidents that require resources not available to the District's safety officers and which shall provide that campus safety officers shall cooperate with local law enforcement in performing their duties. Local police agencies shall have jurisdiction on District premises to enforce Federal, State, and local laws, including criminal laws and Vehicle Code violations, and shall have the authority to investigate all criminal and moving traffic violations that occur on District property.
- 4.0 Every campus safety officer shall complete a course of training developed by the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services of the Department of Consumer Affairs as required by Education Code Section 72330.5(b). An officer who is required to carry security equipment shall complete appropriate training and certification in the use of such equipment as specified by the District and state law.
- 5.0 Every campus safety officer shall meet other requirements set out in Education Code Section 72330.5.
- 6.0 The Chancellor shall establish procedures necessary for administration of campus security.
- 7.0 The Chancellor or designee will develop procedures to ensure the District develops a "Public Safety Compact" with District stakeholders, including campus security officers. The Public Safety Compact will establish the District's requirements for the delivery of public safety related services on campus, including the respective roles and responsibilities of administrators, faculty, campus security officers, mental health social services workers, crisis counselors, community non-profits, and other related service providers in responding to the public safety needs of the campus.
- 8.0 The District will establish a Public Safety Advisory Committee to make recommendations to the Chancellor related to District policies governing campus public safety services. The Public Safety Advisory Committee will include representatives from the District's

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constituency groups. The District will engage in active efforts to recruit advisory committee members from historically underserved groups in the community.

See Administrative Procedure 7600, Campus Safety Officers.

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