

## **BOARD DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITY**

The Board of Trustees governs on behalf of the citizens of the Mendocino-Lake Community College District in accordance with the authority granted and duties defined in Education Code Section 70902.

The Board is committed to fulfilling its responsibilities to:

- Represent the public interest
- Establish policies that define the institutional mission and set prudent, ethical and legal standards for college operations
- Hire and evaluate the CEO
- Delegate power and authority to the chief executive to effectively lead the District
- Assure fiscal health and stability
- Monitor institutional performance and educational quality
- Advocate and protect the District

Reference: ACCJC Accreditation Standard IV (formally IV.B.1.d)