BOARD MEMBER HEALTH BENEFITS

In accordance with Government Code, Section 53201, the District will provide health benefits for trustees, except the student trustee, as follows:

1. **Current Trustees**

While serving on the Board, Trustees may participate in the dental and vision benefits portions of the health benefit plan, as provided to active District employees. Trustees are not eligible for retiree health benefits when they no longer serve on the Board. No health benefits shall be provided to the student trustee.

2. **Former Trustees**

   2.1 Those first elected or appointed before May 1, 1991 who served 12 years or more may continue their health benefits at the District's expense. Benefits will consistent with those available to active District employees. (This legal commitment was made by the Board of Trustees on February 5, 1986.)

   2.2 Those first elected or appointed after May 1, 1991 may continue their health benefits at their own expense, as specified in COBRA provisions.

**Life Insurance**

While serving on the Board, Trustees will receive life insurance, as provided to active District employees.

REFERENCE: Government Code Section 53201 and 53208.5