BLOOMFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS Bloomfield, Connecticut

BOARD POLICY No. 9271

RE: Code of Ethics

Bylaws

Adopted: 6/3/2003 Approved: 10/6/2015

- 1. Board Members will strive to help create public schools which meet the individual educational needs of all children regardless of their ability, race, creed, sex, or social standing.
- 2. Board Members will work unremittingly to help the community understand the importance of proper support for public education, whether it be in providing adequate finance, optimum facilities, staffing and resources, or better educational programs for children.
- 3. Board Members will confine their action to policy-making, planning and appraisal, and will help to frame policies and plans only after appropriate study and consultation with those who will be affected by its actions.
- 4. Board Members will respect the opinions of others, and abide by the principle of majority rule.
- 5. Board Members will recognize that authority rests only with the whole Board assembled in public meeting, and will make no personal promises or take any private action which may compromise the Board.
- 6. Board Members will never use their position on the Board for personal gain.
- 7. Board Members will strive to bring any needed change only through legal and ethical procedures.