



The Board of Trustees finds that the receipt of gifts by public officials from persons who do business with the district erodes public confidence in the impartiality of decisions made by those officials. The purpose of this policy is to prohibit giving by persons who do and wish to do business with the district, and to prohibit receipt of such gifts by any district officer or board member, thereby eliminating, to the greatest extent possible, this loss of confidence.

Unless otherwise expressly defined, the terms used in this policy shall have the same

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existing contractual relationship with the district, until twelve
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Gift shall have the meaning it is defined to have in the California Political Reform Act, and the regulations issued pursuant to that act. By way of example, "gifts" include, but are not limited to, tickets or passes to sporting or entertainment

events, parking passes, food,