Note: This policy is *legally required*. Minor revisions.

## Revised - GCCCD Policy

## **BP 2015** Student Governing Board Members

Reference: Education Code Sections 72023.5 and 72024;

Government Code 1770, et seg.

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## [CCLC template language, except italicized language]

The <u>Grossmont-Cuyamaca Community College District (District) Governing</u> Board shall include two non-voting student members (also referred to as Student Trustees)—one from each college in the District. The term of office shall be one year commencing June 1 of each year, for no more than two one-year terms.

At the time of nomination and throughout the term of service, <u>T</u>the student member shall be a resident of California, shall be enrolled in and maintain a minimum of five semester units at the college they are elected to represent, and shall maintain a cumulative Grade Point Average of at least 2.0 based on coursework completed within the District.

The student members shall receive the following privileges:

- **a.** Compensation, at the discretion of the Board, pursuant to Education Code 72024 and BP 2725 Board Member Compensation
- **b.** Be entitled to travel as a representative of the Board as deemed appropriate by the Chancellor
- c. Be entitled to mileage reimbursement to the same extent as regular members

Although not permitted to make or second motions or attend closed sessions, Student Trustees shall be seated with the Board and recognized as members of the Board at meetings. In addition, Student Trustees may engage in the Board meetings as follows:

- **a.** Participate in discussion of issues and receive all materials presented to members of the Board (except for closed session materials)
- **b.** Cast advisory votes, although the votes shall not be included in determining the votes required to carry any measure before the Board