

All powers of the Board lie in its concerted action as a public body. A member of a Board is a public officer, but has no individual authority or power to act for the Board. Individual Board members exercise authority over District affairs only by way of votes taken at a legal open meeting of the Board. An individual Board member has individual authority only when, and to the extent that the Board, by vote, has so delegated such authority.

The Board shall not be bound in any way by an action or statement made on the part of an individual board member except when such action or statement is pursuant to specific instructions from the Board.

LEGAL REF.: 22-5-4 NMSA (1978)

CROSS REF.: 100 School District Legal Status  
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