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## **Board of Education High Point Regional**

**PROPERTY** 

## GIFTS, GRANTS, DONATIONS

The Board accepts its responsibility to provide from public funds sufficient supplies and equipment for an effective instruction program; it recognizes, however, that from time to time individuals and organizations in the community may wish to contribute additional supplies or equipment to enhance or extend the instructional program.

The Board may accept by resolution duly passed at a public meeting any gift or grant of land with or without improvement, and of money or other personal property.

The Board reserves the right to refuse to accept any gift which does not contribute to the achievement of the goals of this district, or one the ownership of which would tend to deplete the resources of the district.

Any gift accepted by the Board shall become the property of the Board, and may not be returned without the approval of the Board, and is subject to the same controls and regulations as are other properties of the Board.

The Board shall be responsible for the maintenance of any gift it accepts and will make every effort to honor the intent of the donor in its use of the gift, but reserves the right to utilize any gift it accepts in the best interest of the educational program of the district.

In no case shall acceptance of a gift be considered to be an endorsement by the Board of a commercial product or business enterprize or institution of learning.

The Superintendent shall encourage individuals and organizations considering a contribution to the schools to consult with him before appropriating funds to that end.

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