## **BEB--NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION (Supplementary)**

A new member is to be afforded the fullest measures of courtesy and cooperation by the Board and the school district staff. Both the Board and the staff shall make every feasible effort to assist the new member to become fully informed about the board's functions, policies, procedures, and problems.

- In the interim between election and actually assuming office, the Board President will invite the new member will be invited and encouraged to attend all meetings and functions of the Board and is to receive the Superintendent should provide the new member with all reports and communications normally sent to board members.
- 2. The Board will encourage new board member shall be encouraged to attend the North Dakota School Boards Association New Board Members Seminar as required by law. The Business Manager shall maintain a record of attendance and report to the Board when each new member has fulfilled this obligation. In addition, the Superintendent shall assist the new member in understanding any procedures or situations unique to the District.
- 3. The new member shall receive Board President shall provide the new member is to be provided access to all appropriate publications and aids, including the board policy manual and the latest copy of the North Dakota Century School Code, including the current supplements, and publications of the state and national school boards associations. The Board should identify other material pertinent to board service and particularly useful to new members. The Board president should provide this material to the new member.
- 4. The Board President and the Superintendent will also confer with the new member as necessary on special problems or concerns.

End of Dickinson Policy BEB..... Adopted: 05/10/10