

BOARD MEMBER COMPENSATION AND EXPENSES

SALARY

The School Board members shall receive an annual salary of \$470.00 each, plus \$70.00 per diem for all regular or monthly board meetings, with the exception of the Board Clerk and Board President salaries which are to be set at \$620.00 annual (per diem is same as rest of Board).

The board may convene for special meetings and/or temporary or ad-hoc committee meetings. Board members will be paid the per diem amount for attendance at these meetings. However, the board can agree to waive this per diem, in advance of these special or ad-hoc committee meetings, by way of a majority vote of the members present.

TRAVEL EXPENSES

The Independence School District shall reimburse Board members when they travel outside of the Independence School District on school business. For attendance at conventions or other educational meetings or travel for other school purposes, expenses shall be reimbursed as follows:

- 1) provide transportation to and from the meeting site or pay at the rate of 40 cents per mile if Board member uses personal car;
- 2) registration or other fees required;
- 3) hotel or motel double room rate;
- 4) all reasonable costs of meals and other reasonable expenses.

Receipts for hotel/motel accommodations and for transportation costs, other than cab fares, shall be submitted on expense vouchers. Expenses shall be submitted and accounted for with the business office within thirty days of the date of completion of such travel.

In addition, full expenses to the School Board National Convention will be paid at least once during a three-year term for each Board member, with Board approval prior to October 1.

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