

Board of Trustees Survey - Employee Version 2017

Dear SOCCCD Employee,

The Board of Trustees annually asks all district employees questions to assist in their evaluation of the board. The results will be used at the SOCCCD Board of Trustees Self-Evaluation Retreat on June 24, 2017. We would like to collect your feedback by May 26, 2017. Thank you very much for completing the annual SOCCCD Board of Trustees Evaluation Survey. Thank you for your time!

D1 Please select the place(s) where you work.

- Saddleback College
- Irvine Valley College
- District Services

D2 How long have you worked in the district?

- Less than 1 year
- 1-2 years
- 3-5 years
- 6-10 years
- 11-19 years
- 20 or more years

D3 What is your employee type?

- Administrator/Manager
- Faculty
- Classified Staff

D4 Are you a full-time or part-time employee?

- Full-time
- Part-time

D5 Over the past year, please indicate where you have received or accessed information on SOCCCD's Board of Trustees. (Please check all that apply.)

- SOCCCD website
- College website
- Emails from District Services: Board highlights and other press releases
- Newspaper
- Other websites
- Other, please specify _____

D6 Over the past year, how many Board of Trustees meetings have you attended?

- None
- 1-3 meetings
- 4-6 meetings
- 7-9 meetings
- 10 or more meetings

D7 Over the past year, how many Board of Trustees meetings have you watched on television and/or watched via a meeting video posted on the SOCCCD website?

- None
- 1-3 meetings
- 4-6 meetings
- 7-9 meetings
- 10 or more meetings

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements. The last three survey items are open-ended questions. Please provide your feedback in the text boxes provided.

Q1 The Board understands its policy role and differentiates its role from those of the Chancellor, District Services, and college employees.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q2 The Board's policies are regularly reviewed and are up-to-date. They effectively guide District Services and college operations.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q3 The Board clearly delegates authority to and supports the Chancellor.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q4 The Board sets clear expectations for and effectively evaluates the Chancellor.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q5 Board members represent the interests and needs of the communities served by the district.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q6 The Board advocates on behalf of the district to local, state, and federal governments.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q7 The Board assures that there is an effective planning process and is appropriately involved in the process.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q8 Board members are knowledgeable about the district's educational programs and services.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q9 Board members understand the budget and fiscal status of the district.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q10 Board decisions assure the fiscal stability and health of the district.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q11 The Board effectively monitors implementation of institutional plans.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q12 The Board respects faculty, staff, and student participation in college and District Services decision making.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q13 Trustees refrain from attempting to manage or direct work or activities of District Services and college employees.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q14 Trustee behavior sets a positive tone for the district.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q15 The Board regularly reviews and adheres to its code of ethics and standards of practice.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q16 Board members maintain confidentiality of privileged information.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q17 Board meeting agendas include sufficient information; the topics reflect Board responsibilities and tasks.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q18 Board meetings are conducted in an orderly, respectful manner; sufficient time is provided to explore and resolve key issues.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q19 The Board evaluation process helps the Board enhance its performance.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q20 Board members engage in professional development that enhances their performance as trustees. New Board members have an orientation to their role.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neutral
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

Q21 What are the strengths and accomplishments of the Board?

Q22 In what areas, if any, might the Board improve?

Q23 What should be Board goals, priorities, and/or tasks for the coming year?