

# POLICY

## BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

**Related Entries:** Policy 702

**Responsible Office:** INSURANCE AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT OFFICE

### INSURANCE MANAGEMENT

#### A. PURPOSE

To provide adequate insurance coverage to protect the interests of the Board of Education of Anne Arundel County (Board), its members, and employees.

#### B. ISSUE

It is the Board's responsibility to ensure that appropriate insurance mechanisms are in place to protect the Board from losses involving real and personal property; employee dishonesty; general liability; educators legal liability (errors and omissions), including employment practices liability; vehicle liability, including collision and comprehensive coverage; and workers' compensation.

#### C. POSITION

The Board of Education delegates authority to the Superintendent to procure commercial insurance in conjunction with, or in lieu of, self-insurance to ensure Board compliance with the Education Article, *Annotated Code of Maryland*. The Board further authorizes the Superintendent to execute an agreement with the Anne Arundel County government for the Board's participation in the Anne Arundel County Self-Insurance Fund and Consolidated Commercial Insurance Program.

#### D. IMPLEMENTATION

The Superintendent is authorized to develop regulations to implement this policy.

**Policy history:** Adopted on 02/15/12

**Note previous policy history:** Replaces Policy 702, adopted 02/14/79 and revised 11/20/89.