

# GREATER ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

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## **Policy: Trustee Code of Conduct**

Reference No: P-GV-06

A Trustee position is an elected position which carries with it the understanding that the electorate will decide at election time its support for the effectiveness of a Trustee. At the same time, it is important to recognize the public trust and responsibility the collective body carries and that this trust and responsibility is honoured through determining and enforcing norms of acceptable behaviour.

A Code of Conduct policy contributes to confidence in public education and respect for the integrity of Trustees in the performance of their responsibilities. The policy and regulation deals with acceptable and respectful behaviours.