



Policy Section: Trusteeship and the Board

Policy Name: Trustee Honoraria

Policy Statement

It is the policy of the Keewatin-Patricia District School Board to set the level of honoraria for trustees within the limits set by provincial regulation and in a manner that reflects the practices of other Ontario school boards, due consideration for the recommendations of the Citizens’ Advisory Committee, and the availability of funds.

Rationale

Ontario Regulation 357/06, “Honoraria for Board Members,” requires boards to establish a policy on their level of honoraria. Input from a Citizens’ Advisory Committee is required prior to establishing the amount to be paid during the term of office as well as the retroactive amount in respect of the period from September 1, 2005 to November 30, 2006.

Guidelines

- A. For a term of office beginning in 2006 or later, the components of trustee honoraria will be calculated as a percentage of the maximum permissible amounts under Ontario Regulation 357/06 as amended from time to time, as set out in Table 1 below:

Item	Description of component of honoraria	Max. amount for year beginning December 1, 2006	Percentage of maximum amount to be paid
1.	Base amount for all Trustees	\$5,900.00	100%
2.	Base amount for Vice-Chair	\$2,500.00	100%
3.	Base amount for Chair	\$5,000.00	100%
4.	Enrolment amount for Trustees	\$1,202.81	100%
5.	Enrolment amount for Vice-Chair	\$1,452.81	100%
6.	Enrolment amount for Chair	\$1,702.81	100%
7.	Attendance amount for regulated committee meetings.	\$50.00 per meeting	0%
8.	Distance Amount for meetings where the member’s residence is more than 200 km one way from the meeting place.	\$50.00 per day	100%

Cross Reference:
 Ont. Reg. 357/06 Honoraria for Board Members
 Committee Responsibility:
 Citizen’s Advisory Committee

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The base amount for trustees shall be recalculated at the beginning of each term of office as set out in Ontario Regulation 357/06, as amended from time to time, using the increase in the Ontario Consumer Price Index.

The enrolment amounts shall be recalculated at the beginning of each year of each term of office as set out in Ontario Regulation 357/06, as amended from time to time, using the enrolment of the board for the applicable school board fiscal year.

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