| Policy Title | Board Operation |  |  |
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| References |  |  |  |
| Education Act; Bluewater District School Board Procedural By-Laws |  |  |  |

### 1.0 RATIONALE

1.1 Bluewater District School Board policies will support and provide direction necessary to achieve the board's Vision, Mission and Strategic Plan priorities.
1.2 Bluewater District School Board recognizes the need to provide trustees with appropriate and required information to enable them to conduct the business of the board in an appropriate manner.

### 2.0 POLICY

Bluewater District School Board is a board of education established under the Education Act, with power to perform all the duties conferred or imposed upon a public school board by that or any other Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario. It shall operate in accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, other applicable legislation, the pertinent regulations of the Ministry of Education (Ontario), and the procedural by-laws developed for the operation of the board and its committees.

