Beaver Island Community School Board of Education Policies & Bylaws

0142.6 Compensation

Each member of the board shall receive compensation for their services as a member or as an officer in the amount of \$25.00 per regular or special school board meeting or committee meeting. A single meeting consists of 3 or less hours. If a meeting extends beyond that time the member of the board shall have the option to record and receive payment for multiple meetings.

0142.7 Reimbursement for Expenses

Board members shall be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenses incurred because of attendance at Board-approved workshops, seminars, conferences, or conventions. To receive reimbursement for an expense listed in this policy, an expense voucher, together with supporting receipts or other evidence of actual expenses, shall be submitted to the business office for processing.

Expenses for spouses, family members, or others accompanying Board members as companions, are not reimbursable unless such persons would otherwise be entitled to reimbursement as conference attendees or employees of the district.

There shall be no reimbursement for the purchase of any alcohol, tobacco or personal products or services.

0143 Attendance

Regular attendance at school board meetings is important in maintaining continuity in decision-making. Whenever possible each board member shall give advance notice to the president or superintendent of his/her inability to attend a board meeting. The Superintendent shall ensure that appropriate technology is available to allow remote attendance by board members who are out of district.

0144 **District Memberships**

Beaver Island Community School will, as budget allocations permit, secure annual memberships in the following organization(s):

- 1. Michigan Association of School Boards
- 2. Northern Michigan Schools Legislative Association
- 3. Other organizations or association through which the district may derive benefit.