

**Governing Board**

**BP 2220 COMMITTEES OF THE GOVERNING BOARD**

**Reference:**

Government Code Section 54952

The Governing Board may by action establish committees that it determines are necessary to assist the Board in its responsibilities. Any committee established by Governing Board action shall comply with the requirements of the Brown Act and with Palomar Community College District policies regarding open meetings.

Board committees that are composed solely of less than a quorum of members of the Governing Board that are advisory are not required to comply with the Brown Act or with these policies regarding open meetings.

Board committees that are only advisory have no authority or power to act on behalf of the Governing Board. Findings or recommendations shall be reported to the Governing Board for consideration. All Board-appointed committees serve in an advisory capacity to the Board and shall avoid making commitments which might be interpreted as binding contracts on the District.