I Was Elected... Now What?
YOUR PRESENTERS

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OUR MISSION IS

CULTIVATING EXCELLENCE

IN LOCALLY-GOVERNED

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

to bring about the best schools in every Arizona community.

One of ASBA’s core beliefs: Knowledgeable and professionally trained governing board members are fundamental for ensuring student success.
What We Do For Our Members...

**Training and Leadership Development**
- Conferences
- Workshops
- Free Webinars
- Board Self Evaluation
- Superintendent Evaluation

**Representation and Advocacy**
- Local, State and Federal Advocacy
- State Board of Education
- Arizona Department of Education
- Legal Issues

**Products and Services**
- Policy Services
- Superintendent Search
- Customized Trainings
- Employee Handbook
Get Oriented:
Should I meet with the superintendent?

Other members of staff?

What about with other board members?
BEGIN YOUR LEADERSHIP JOURNEY WITH ASBA
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Get Oriented: What should I review?

Full details in ASBA's New Board Member Onboarding booklet
EXAMPLE: FINANCE

- Current District Budget Summary: Explanation of how, when and by whom it is prepared; how educational needs are translated into a budget plan, how the money is derived, and the board's role in the process.
- Explanation of the assessed valuation and tax structure of the district.
- Explanation of the funding/budgeting process for school districts.
- Data to address the current existing bond indebtedness of the district and when various building debts will expire.
- Information regarding federal aid to school district education.
- Explanation of how the tax rate is determined.
QUICK TUTORIAL
Accessing your district’s policies

Go to www.azsba.org/policy

Click on Access PolicyBridge Platform
QUICK TUTORIAL: Accessing your district’s policies

Find your district on the list.

Click on the district name.

No log-in is needed!
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Click section you want to review.

Click on the specific policy you want to review.

(BBA is one you should DEFINITELY take a look at!)
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ASBA-ASA 65TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

December 14, 2022

NEW BOARD MEMBER ORIENTATION
PRE-CONFERENCE
Get Oriented: Your Governance Role

- Board
- Operations and Leadership
- Training
- Seminar

2023 BOLTS: January 27 (Tucson), February 8 (Flagstaff), February 10 (Phoenix)