

CORE TRAINING FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

AGENDA

JANUARY 12, 2026

- 9:00-9:15 a.m. **Welcome and NCSBA Overview**
Leanne Winner, Executive Director
- 9:15-10:15 a.m. **What I Wish I Knew – A Conversation with Former Board Members**
- 10:15-10:30 a.m. Break
- 10:30-11:00 a.m. **Your Role as a Legislative Advocate for Public Education**
Bruce Mildwurf, Director of Governmental Relations
- 11:00-11:30 a.m. **School Board Litigation**
Donna Lynch, Litigation Counsel
- 11:30-12:00 p.m. **Show Me the Money**
Leanne Winner, Executive Director
- 12:00-12:30 p.m. Lunch
- 12:30-1:00 p.m. **Board/Superintendent Roles and Responsibilities**
Ramona Powers, Director of Board Development & Technology
- 1:00-1:45 p.m. **Open Meetings, Public Records, and the Board’s Role in Policy**
Christine Scheef, Senior Staff Attorney
- 1:45-2:45 p.m. **Ethics and Conflicts of Interest for School Board Members**
Kendra Hill, Legal Counsel/Director of Policy
Justice Warren, Assistant Legal Counsel
- 2:45-3:00 p.m. Break
- 3:00-4:00 p.m. **Ethics and Conflicts of Interest for School Board Members continues**
- 4:00 p.m. **Session Ends**