

DISASTER POLICY

BP 4330

A. Statement

It shall be the policy of the Cabrillo Community College District to provide a safe environment for the students and staff of the District. In order to fulfill this responsibility, the Governing Board shall establish disaster preparedness procedures, which comply with Section 17.1 of Article 3 of Title 5 of the California Administrative Code.

B. Emergency

It shall be the policy of the Cabrillo Community College District that it will declare as an emergency the existence of conditions of disaster or extreme peril to the safety staff members, students and or District property which are or are likely to be beyond the control of the District services, personnel, equipment, and facilities and may require the combined forces of other political subdivisions to combat. This shall include such conditions as fire, flood, storm, epidemic, riot, earthquake, hazardous materials incident, or other like occurrences other than conditions resulting from a labor controversy. (Government Code 8558)

C. Disaster Service Workers

All public school employees are disaster service workers and are subject to such activities as may be assigned to them by their superiors or by law. (Government Code 3100)

D. Cooperation With Other Agencies

In the event of a disaster, the Cabrillo Community College District shall support and expect support from the emergency organizations of the cities, the military, and unincorporated areas lying within the boundaries of the Cabrillo Community College District and from the County of Santa Cruz and the State of California emergency organizations, and from federal emergency organizations. Realizing that in the event of a major disaster, Cabrillo College could be isolated for up to 72 hours, the District shall comply with any mutual aid agreements approved by the Governing Board.

Legal Reference: Title 5, Article 3, Section 17.1 of the California Administrative Code; Government Code Sections 8558 and 3100.

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