



*Barstow Community College  
Board Goals  
2017-2018*

*The Board of Trustees provides governance leadership for Barstow Community College and has identified the following goals for 2017-2018.*

**Board Goals to Achieve Institutional Effectiveness & Excellence**

1. Ensure that the College a) sets appropriate student achievement standards and goals, b) monitors student performance data, and c) provides action plans including benchmarks to improve student outcomes. Areas of focus include equitable access and outcomes, degree and certificate completion, transfer, job placement and wage gains for CTE completers, and progress in accelerating college-readiness in foundational skills.
2. Expect and support local community involvement by the Superintendent/President as well as state and national activities that promote district interests.
3. Promote community involvement in the continued utilization of the Performing Arts Center and exploration of expanded use of the Wellness Center.
4. As a continuous goal, partner with area leaders in economic development activities within the region.
5. Fulfill the Board's responsibility to maintain the fiscal integrity of the district by expecting that the District finances are managed effectively, including maintaining a budget reserve of at least 15%.
6. Support the College's continued efforts to advance emergency planning and preparedness.
7. Expect and support the College efforts to achieve continuous customer service excellence, and that a culture of civility and collaboration exists amongst all constituency groups.
8. Expect the development of policy and related procedures to implement a comprehensive student achievement recognition program.
9. Expect that the College's information systems produce accurate data and information to support decision-making and the capacity to monitor institutional effectiveness; and expect implementation of a comprehensive enrollment management plan.
10. Support College professional development opportunities that advance institutional priorities and individual growth.
11. Expect continued focus on developing a diverse and excellent workforce.

**Board Goals to Ensure Board Effectiveness and a Strong Board / CEO Partnership**

12. Expect that Board Policies and Administrative Procedures are up-to-date and reflect Board values.
13. Expect and support Board members' involvement in the local community and in state and national activities that promote district interests.
14. Maintain and strengthen a sense of team, including positive and supportive communication between trustees and the CEO.
15. Continue to clarify the need for information required for board decision-making.
16. Be appropriately involved in accreditation.