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It shall be the policy of the Webster County Board of Education that the board or the superintendent or designee shall accept or deny donations to the school system from any source, including booster clubs, in accordance with the following provisions.

Any gifts or donations presented to an individual school and/or the total school system which would obligate the school system to future operating or upkeep costs must be approved by the board of education. All other gifts or donations may be approved by the superintendent or designee.

In accepting any donations as items or services to the athletic programs of the school system, the superintendent or designee shall establish a valuation of the donation and may request from the donor a valuation or an accounting of actual costs incurred regarding the donation. The superintendent or designee also may set a valuation for donations to other programs as appropriate or required for accounting purposes.

Upon acceptance, the gifts or donations become the property of the school system and are subject to the laws, rules, and regulations which govern the school system.

The superintendent is authorized to develop and implement additional administrative regulations to govern the acceptance of gifts, donations, grants, or bequests to the school system.

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O.C.G.A. 20-2-0520 Acquiring/disposing of school sites; building, repairing, renting, and furnishing schools

O.C.G.A. 20-2-0064 Establishment and maintenance of trusts or funds

Art. 8, Sec. 5, Par. 6 Power of boards to accept bequests, donations, grants and transfers

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