

Board member Standards of Conduct

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107ist Board members shall carry out the mission of the 107 Independent Supporters Trust, which is to support soccer in and around Portland from the grass roots to the highest professional level.

To that end, Board members are expected to:

- Attend all regularly scheduled Board meetings insofar as possible, and become informed about issues to be considered at those meetings;
- Recognize that a Board member should endeavor to make policy decisions only after full discussion at publicly held Board meetings;
- Render all decisions based on the available facts and independent judgment, and refuse to surrender that judgment to individuals or special interest groups;
- Encourage the free expression of opinion by all Board members and pursue systematic communications between and among the Board and 107ist members, the Portland Timbers front office and all elements of the Timbers Army community;
- Communicate to other Board members expressions of public reaction to Board policies;
- Avoid being placed in a position of conflict of interest and refrain from using the Board position for personal or partisan gain;
- Comply with the 107ist away travel policies provided to all 107ist members;
- Take no private action that will compromise the Board and respect the confidentiality of information that is privileged under applicable law;
- Remember that a Board member's first and greatest concern must be the mission of the 107ist;
- Keep information discussed in executive session confidential.