

### **SCHOOL AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS LEGAL STATUS**

The School is a public benefit corporation established under Chapter 1702 of the Revised Code. The School is independent of any school district and is part of the state's program of education. It may sue and be sued, acquire facilities as needed, contract for any services necessary for the operation of the School, and enter into contracts with its Sponsor pursuant.

The Board of Directors is the body vested with the management and control of the School.

The responsibility for public education is a function of the state. The Constitution of the State of Ohio makes the establishment of free public schools mandatory and directs the General Assembly to carry out this requirement. The General Assembly has delegated the authority to operate a system of free public schools to community schools but, at the same time, retained absolute control over the entire school system of the state. The Board of Directors may carry out any act and perform any function that complies with the Ohio Constitution, Chapter 3314 of the Revised Code, other statutes applicable to community schools, the sponsor contract entered into under R.C. 3314.03, or such implied or incidental powers as are reasonably necessary to carry out fully the express powers.

The Board of Directors has the responsibility of acting within the scope of authority conferred upon it by the General Assembly and its Sponsor Contract.

The official name of this School shall be “The Tomorrow Center.”

LEGAL REFS: O.R.C. §§3314.01; 3314.03

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