## Policy GP #5: Board Secretary Role and Responsibilities

As noted here and in the PCHS bylaws, the Board Secretary is an officer of the Board whose purpose is to ensure the integrity of the Board's documents. The Secretary may not speak or act for the Board except when formally given such authority for specific and time-limited purposes.

5.1 The Secretary's job is to ensure that all Board and Board committee documents and filings are accurate, timely, and adhere to legal requirements, including privacy and confidentiality; to ensure that all such documents are properly stored and accessible; and to inform the Board Chair if the documents are not in compliance.

Further, the Board Secretary shall ensure that:

- Governance Policies reflect the most current Board decisions
- Requirements for format, brevity, and accuracy of Board agenda and minutes are met
- Draft Board minutes are prepared in a timely manner for Board review, and approved at the following regular Board meeting
- 5.2 The authority of the Secretary includes access to and control over Board documents.

