BRUNSWICK AREA STUDENT AID FUND CODE OF ETHICS

As Brunswick Area Student Aid Fund (BASAF) Directors, Officers, Volunteers and Staff, we agree to:

- 1. Follow the law at all times, without exception, and comply with applicable rules and regulations.
- 2. Be honest, fair and trustworthy in all BASAF activities and relationships.
- 3. Dedicate sufficient time, energy and attention to ensure the diligent performance of our duties.
- 4. Avoid engaging in any activity that might create a conflict of interest for BASAF or for us individually. Fully disclose any potential conflict of interest situation, and ethically handle actual or apparent conflicts of interest.
- 5. Follow all restrictions on use and disclosure of information. This includes following all requirements for protecting BASAF information and ensuring that non-BASAF proprietary information is used and disclosed only as authorized by the owner of the information, or as otherwise permitted by law.
- 6. Take all reasonable measures to ensure responsible use of and control over the BASAF's assets and resources.
- 7. Where required, promote full, fair, accurate, understandable and timely disclosure of reports and documents regarding the BASAF's financial activities.
- 8. Never discriminate against anyone.
- 9. Never act unethically and work to sustain a culture in which ethical conduct is recognized, valued and exemplified by all Directors, Officers, Volunteers and Staff.
- 10. Never ask someone to act unethically.
- 11. Seek assistance if there is a question regarding this Code of Ethics, or if an ethical dilemma arises.
- 12. Report ethics violations and cooperate with any investigation of a possible ethics violation.
- 13. Promote voluntary giving in dealing with donors and vendors and refrain from any use of coercion in fundraising activities, including predicting professional advancement in response to solicitations.
- 14. Refrain from making any contributions to any candidate for public office or political committee on behalf of BASAF.