

**281—81.4 (256) Governance and resources standard.** An institution's governance structure and resources shall adequately support the preparation of school business official candidates to meet professional, state, and institutional standards in accordance with the following provisions.

**81.4(1)** A clearly understood governance structure provides guidance and support for the school business official preparation program.

**81.4(2)** Procedures for an appeals process for candidates are clearly communicated and provided to all candidates.

**81.4(3)** The program administers a comprehensive evaluation system designed to enhance the teaching competence and intellectual vitality of the professional educational institution.

**81.4(4)** Institutional commitment to the program includes financial resources, facilities, appropriate educational materials, media services including library services, and equipment to ensure the fulfillment of the institution's and program's missions and the delivery of quality programs.

**81.4(5)** The institution provides sufficient instructors and administrative, clerical, and technical staff to plan and deliver a quality school business official preparation program.

**81.4(6)** Resources are available to support professional development opportunities for instructors.

**81.4(7)** Resources are available to support technological and instructional needs to enhance candidate learning.

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