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**Governance of a Public Entity:  
Core Principles and Recommended  
Implementation – Part 1**

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**Fiduciary**



**Define Fiduciary Responsibilities**

- A legal duty of loyalty and faithfulness towards another;
- A legal duty to hold the rights and powers, which would normally belong to another, for which the fiduciary must exercise to the benefit of the beneficiary;
- A legal duty to not allow any conflict of interest to infect their duties towards the beneficiary and must exercise a high standard of care and good faith in protecting or promoting the interests of the beneficiary

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**Relationships**



**Public Relationship** vs **Private Relationship**

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Communication

Listening / Speaking



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Social Media



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Ethics

Louisiana Code of Governmental Ethics  
(R.S. 42:1101 – 1221)



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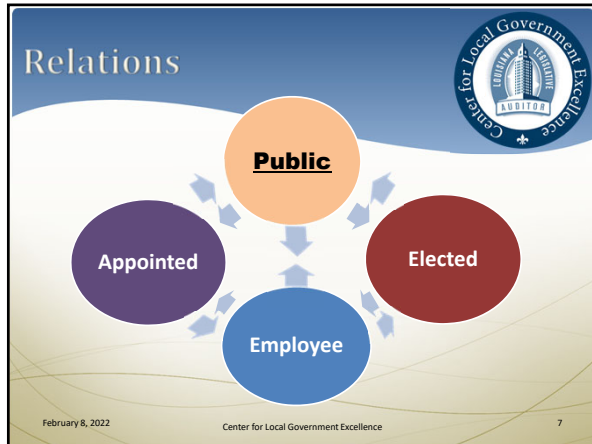
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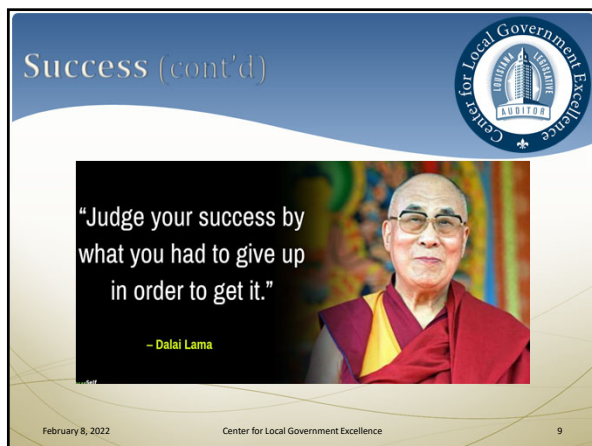
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Value of Consensus



**CONSENSUS**



I've won .....  
But at what cost?



**WINNING**

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QUESTIONS



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