

CHAPTER 2.00 - SCHOOL BOARD GOVERNANCE AND ORGANIZATION

ORGANIZATION, MEMBERSHIP AND OFFICERS OF THE BOARD

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- (1) The Board shall be comprised of not less than five members elected pursuant to and otherwise meeting the requirements of law.
- (2) A chair and a vice-chair, and such other officers as the Board may determine, shall be elected annually by the School Board at its organizational meeting held on the third Tuesday after the first Monday in November; provided, however, if a vacancy occurs in any officer position, the School Board shall elect a successor at the next regular or special meeting.
- (3) The chair shall preside at all School Board meetings and perform such duties as authorized by law or School Board Rule or which are delegated to the chair by the Board. The chair and vice-chair shall be bonded in the manner prescribed by the State Board of Education.
- (4) The Superintendent, as provided by law, shall be the secretary and executive officer of the School Board. At any organizational meeting, the Superintendent shall act as chairperson until the organization of the School Board is completed.
- (5) The School Board shall create committees and appoint members to such committees when deemed necessary. Committees may be either "special" committees which are created for a particular purpose and shall cease to exist upon the completion of its assigned task, or "standing" committees which shall have continuing existence. The duties of each committee shall be outlined at the time of the creation of the committee and may be modified by the School Board from time to time. Each School Board member shall be notified of all committee meetings, but shall have no vote unless the member is serving as a committee member. All committee meetings shall be open to the public.
- (6) The School Board shall not be bound in any way by any action on the part of an individual committee member or a committee as a whole except when such action is in compliance with the public action of the School Board. Further, a committee shall not be bound in any way by any action on the part of an individual committee member except when such action is in compliance with the public action of the committee.

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