

Series 9000 – Bylaws of the Board

1. Organization

B. Board Officers

The officers of the Board of Education shall be:

- Chairperson
- Vice-Chairperson
- Secretary

Officers shall be elected at the biennial organizational meeting, to be held no later than one month after the date on which newly elected members take office.

At the biennial organizational meeting, the Superintendent will preside over the election of all officers. The process for electing officers shall be as follows:

- 1) The Superintendent will request nominations for Chairperson. All nominations shall either be accepted or declined by the nominee. After all nominations for the position have been submitted, the Superintendent will accept a motion from the Board, along with a second, to close the nominations. The Superintendent shall then ask for discussion about nominees. Following discussion, the Superintendent will call for the recording secretary to conduct a roll call vote in which Board members shall verbally cast votes for a nominated candidate or abstain from the process.
- 2) Once a Chairperson is elected, the Superintendent shall repeat the process for the position of Vice Chairperson.
- 3) Once a Vice Chairperson is elected, the Superintendent shall repeat the process for the position of Secretary.

Officers shall serve for a (2) two-year term, or until a successor has been elected.

(cf.9121 – Chairperson)

(cf. 9122 – Vice Chairperson)

(cf. 9123 – Secretary of the Board)

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