

Board Organization/Board Organizational Meeting

The Board retains full legislative authority over the schools in accordance with the Oregon Revised Statutes and State Board of Education rules and regulations, and the expressed will of the electorate, but delegates all executive, supervisory and instructional authority to its employees and hereinafter specified. Legislative service under the law implies the power and the obligation to contract for services and materials, the power to inspect, or to employ its staff or outside experts to inspect, the power to pass judgment upon employees, and the power to veto acts of any and all employees.

It is the policy of the Board to provide for membership on the operation of and the duties of the Board and its members in a manner consistent with Oregon statutes.

At the first regular meeting after July 1, the Board will meet to organize for the year.

The organizational meeting will consist of, but not be limited to, the following actions:

1. Election of a Board chairman;
2. Election of a vice-chairman;
3. Provision for a time and place for its regular meetings.
4. Other organizational actions prescribed by law or by Board practice.

The incumbent chairman of the Board will preside until a successor is elected, whereupon the successor will assume the chair. In the event no incumbent chairman or vice-chairman remains on the Board, or neither is able to continue to serve as an officer, a temporary chairman will be selected to conduct the election.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 255.335
ORS 332.040 - 332.045
ORS 332.057