BOARD OFFICERS FILE: BDC

TITLE: Membership of the School Board

POLICY:

(1) The Orange County School Board (Board) consists of eight (8) members. Seven (7) members shall have been elected only by the qualified electors who reside in the same district as the member serves. The eighth member is a district-wide elected Board Chair.

- (2) The seven (7) members are elected for a term of four (4) years and shall maintain residence in the district in which they are elected throughout the duration of their term in office.
- (3) The district-wide elected Board Chair must reside within Orange County and is elected for a term of four (4) years.
- (4) Four (4) members shall be elected at the time of the presidential election and three (3) members plus the Board Chair shall be elected at the time of the gubernatorial election.
- (5) An office of a Board member shall be vacated when such member removes their residence from the district which they were elected. Any vacancy on the Board shall be filled as provided by law.
- (6) All Board members shall be bonded in the manner prescribed by law.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: Sections 1001.34; 1001.35; 1001.36; 1001.362; 1001.364; 1001.365; 1001.38, Florida Statutes

TITLE: Organization and Officers

POLICY:

- (1) The Board Chair shall be elected as an additional Board member by district-wide vote submitted to and approved by a majority of qualified electors in Orange County, Florida. If a vacancy occurs in the Chairship, the position shall be filled as provided by law.
- (2) The Vice Chair of the Board shall be elected annually by the members of the Board at their organizational meeting. If a vacancy occurs in the Vice-Chairship, the Board shall elect a Vice Chair at the next regular or special meeting.
- (3) The Chair shall preside at all Board meetings, appoint committees, and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by Florida Statutes or by action of the Board. The Vice Chair shall preside in the absence of the Chair and shall perform such other duties of the Chair as required by circumstances.

(4) The Superintendent shall be the secretary and executive officer of the Board, as provided by law. The Superintendent may request various personnel employed by the Board to provide information and data relative to their work as may be required in the performance of the Superintendent's duties and responsibilities.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY: Sections 100.041; 1001.32, 1001.364; 1001.371;

1001.48; 1001.51; 1010.07, Florida Statutes

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