

Grants Pass School District 7

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Board Officers

At its first scheduled meeting after July 1, the Board will elect one of its members to serve as chairman and one to serve as vice chairman. No member of the Board may serve as chairman more than two years in succession. If a Board member is unable to continue to serve as an officer, a replacement will be elected immediately. The replacement officer will serve the remainder of the officer's term until the following July.

Board Chairman

The Board chairman will:

1. Assist the superintendent in establishing the agenda for regular meetings of the Board;
2. Call special meetings when required;
3. Preside at all meetings of the Board and will enforce the rules of order;
4. Sign minutes and other official documents that require his/her signature;
5. Represent the district and the Board at official functions, unless this duty is delegated by the chairman or the Board to another member of the Board;
6. Appoint all committees unless otherwise ordered by the Board;
7. Have the right to discuss issues and may vote on any issue unless wishing to abstain.

Board Vice Chairman

In the absence, incapacitation or death of the chairman, the vice chairman will perform the duties of chairman and, when so acting, will have all the powers of chairman. The vice chairman will perform such other functions as designated by the Board.

Board Secretary

The superintendent will designate a staff member to serve as Board secretary and will directly supervise and evaluate that secretary. The secretary to the Board will take notes at Board meetings so that minutes can be compiled and will perform other related work as assigned by the superintendent or requested by the chairman of the Board. These duties will include, but not be limited to, the following:

1. Record the disposition of all matters on which the Board considered action;

2. Prepare, check and distribute minutes in advance for approval at the next Board meeting;
3. Maintain properly authenticated official copies of the minutes;
4. Maintain the official record of policies of the Board.

Board or District Spokesperson

The Board may appoint one of its members or another person to make authorized statements to the public or the media when the Board deems that the position of the district should be articulated by a single voice. The spokesperson serves at the direction of the Board and may be removed or replaced at any time by action of the Board.

Parliamentarian

The Board will appoint at each organization meeting a parliamentarian who will ensure that the policies and administrative regulations and the adopted edition of *Robert's Rules of Order* are present at each meeting. He/She will keep aware of the efficient use of these tools for the orderly accomplishment of business before the Board.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 255.335](#)

[ORS 332.040](#)

[ORS 332.045](#)

[ORS 332.057](#)