

### **Board Member Removal from Office**

The Board shall declare the office of a director vacant upon any of the following:

1. The death or resignation of an incumbent;
2. When an incumbent ceases to be a resident of the district;
3. When an incumbent ceases to discharge the duties of office for two consecutive months unless prevented by sickness or unavoidable cause;
4. When an incumbent ceases to discharge the duties of office for four consecutive months for any reason;
5. When an incumbent is removed from office by judgment of any court;
6. When an incumbent has been recalled from office by district voters;
7. When an incumbent is elected by zone and moves from the zone to which he/she was elected. The incumbent shall continue to serve as director to June 30 next following the next regular district election. At that election, a successor shall be elected to serve the remainder, if any, of the unexpired term to which the director was elected. If the term to which the director was elected expires June 30 next following the election of the successor, the successor shall be elected to a full term.

Vacancies will be filled through appointment by the Board unless a majority of the positions are vacant at the same time. In that case, vacancies will be filled by the Linn Benton Lincoln Education Service District.

END OF POLICY

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**Legal Reference(s):**

[ORS 249.865 to -249.877](#)  
[ORS 332.030](#)  
[ORS 408.240](#)

**Cross Reference(s):**

BBE - Vacancies on the Board