

# Lowell School District 71

Code: **BBE**  
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## Vacancies on the Board

Vacancies will be filled by appointment by the Board. The Board appointee must be a legally registered voter and must have been a resident within the district for one year immediately preceding the appointment.

Board elections are held every odd-numbered year which for the purposes of this policy are termed “election” years. The appointee:

1. Will serve until June 30 following the next “election,” at which time the individual elected in May of that year will fill the remaining portion of an unexpired term or serve a full four-year term; or
2. Will serve until June 30 of a subsequent “election” year if the vacancy occurs after the filing date in an “election” year.

A Board member so elected as a replacement will serve the remaining years of the term of office of the Board member being replaced.

In the event of multiple vacancies the position of the Board member who resigned first will be filled first.

Upon appointment by the Board, the newly appointed Board member(s) will be sworn and will be seated immediately.

If the offices of a majority of the directors of the district are vacant at the same time, the Directors of the Lane County Education Service District will appoint persons to fill the vacancies from the qualified voters of the district.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 249.865 - 249.877](#)  
[ORS 255.245](#)

[ORS 255.335](#)  
[ORS 332.030](#)

[ORS 332.122](#)  
[ORS 332.124](#)

### Cross Reference(s):

BBD - Board Member Removal from Office