

Board of Education

Organizational Board of Education Meeting

During a March meeting in odd-numbered years, the Board of Education establishes a meeting date(s): (1) to canvass the election within 21 days after the consolidated election, and (2) for its organizational meeting within 28 days after the consolidated election. The consolidated election is held on the first Tuesday in April of odd-numbered years. If, however, that date conflicts with the celebration of Passover, the consolidated election is postponed to the first Tuesday following the last day of Passover.

At the organizational meeting the following shall occur:

1. Each successful candidate, before taking his or her seat on the Board, shall take the oath of office as provided in Board policy 2:80, Board Member Oath and Conduct.
2. The new Board of Education members shall be seated.
3. The Board shall elect its officers, who assume office immediately upon their election.
4. The order of business for the election of Board's officers shall be as follows: An acting president and secretary shall be named by the Board. The acting president will call the meeting to order and preside. The acting president will ask for nominations. The acting president will call for a roll call vote. The acting president will announce the new president who shall then preside over the meeting. The balance of other elections, designations and appointments shall then be made and the Board shall then conduct its regular business.
5. The Board of Education shall fix a time and date for its regular meetings.

LEGAL REF.: 10 ILCS 5/2A-1 et seq.
105 ILCS 5/9-18, 5/10-5, 5/10-16, and 105 ILCS 5/10-16.5.

CROSS REF.: 2:30 (Board of Education Elections), 2:110 (Qualifications, Term, and Duties of Board Officers), 2:200 (Types of Board of Education Meetings), 2:220 (Board of Education Meeting Procedure), 2:230 (Public Participation at Board of Education Meetings and Petitions to the Board)

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