

Bylaws of the Board

Chairperson

The Board Chairperson shall preside at all meetings of the Board. He or she may call special meetings of the Board when necessary. The Chairperson, with the assistance of the Superintendent, shall prepare an agenda of the items of business to come before the Board at each regular and special meeting.

It is the duty of the Board Chairperson to sign official papers when so authorized by the Board.

Except as otherwise provided in Bylaw 9132, the Board Chairperson shall annually appoint standing committees and appoint chairs of the standing committees.

Ad Hoc committees may be established by the Board Chairperson with the approval of the Board of Education with a fixed objective and for a limited period of time. The Board Chair shall appoint the committee members and chair. The Board shall take formal action to dissolve such committees once the task has been resolved or completed.

The Chairperson may serve as an ex-officio member of any standing or ad hoc committee. As ex-officio, the Board Chairperson can make and second motions and can vote on motions but cannot be counted to comprise a quorum.

Moreover, the Chairperson shall perform all other duties imposed by state statute; and shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by law or by action of the Board.

(cf. 9132 – Standing Committee)

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

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