

Board Member Oath of Office

Before taking office, all Board members will take an Oath of Office as required by Law. Newly elected members will take and subscribe to the Oath on the second Monday in July at the annual meeting, at which time they also assume their duties of office. Appointed members will take and subscribe the Oath at the meeting following their appointment. All Oaths will be filed in the office of the Business Manager.

Sample Oath:

Do you solemnly swear, or affirm, that you will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, and that you will faithfully and impartially perform your duties as a member of the School Board of Bon Homme School District, Bon Homme County, South Dakota, to the best of your ability, and in accordance with the Laws now in effect and hereafter to be enacted, during your continuance in said office, and until your successor is elected and qualified? (The answer is: "I do.")

Legal References: Constitution of the State of South Dakota, Article XXI, Section 3; SDCL 3-1-5; 3-1-8; 13-8-14; 13-8-15

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