

## SCHOOL BOARD BYLAWS

### Adoption, Amendment, Repeal or Suspension of Bylaws

The School Board reserves the right to adopt, amend, suspend or repeal its Bylaws.

#### A. Adoption, amendment or repeal of a Bylaw

Proposed adoption of, or amendment to or repeal of a Bylaw ~~should~~must first be presented to all Members of the School Board in written form on the Information Agenda. ~~The School Board may not vote on such amendment or repeal until a subsequent meeting.~~

Adoption of or, a Amendment or repeal of a Bylaw requires an affirmative vote of seven of eleven of the School Board Members if all School Board Members are present. If less than all ~~of~~ the School Board Members are present, then amendment or repeal will require an affirmative vote of one half plus one of the School Board Members present, ~~rounding up for a fractional Member.~~

#### B. Suspension of a Bylaw

The School Board may suspend a Bylaw(s) or a portion(s) of a Bylaw(s) during a meeting or for short periods of time when the School Board determines that there is good and just cause for the suspension. If all elected and/or appointed School Board Members are notified of the intent to move for such suspension prior to the meeting or if all such School Board Members are present at the meeting when the suspension is proposed, a vote to suspend a Bylaw(s) or a portion(s) of a Bylaw(s) requires an affirmative vote of one half plus one of the School Board Members present at the meeting to pass, rounding up for a fractional member.

### Legal Reference

Code of Virginia § 22.178, as amended. Bylaws and regulations.

Adopted by School Board: July 21, 1992  
Amended by School Board: February 20, 2001  
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Amended by School Board: August 2, 2016  
Amended by School Board: February 12, 2019  
Amended by School Board: September 28, 2021

APPROVED AS TO  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

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