

BOARD RE-ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

The Board of Education recognizes its obligation to hold an Annual Re-organizational Meeting. The purpose of the re-organizational meeting is to elect officers of the Board and make the proper appointments and designations of other district employees for the proper management of the school district during the school year.

Beginning in July of 2026, union free school districts (and all other types of school districts) can schedule the reorganizational meeting anytime between July 1 and the Monday following July 20th.

~~The Board will hold its annual re-organizational meeting on the first Tuesday in July. If that day is a legal holiday, the Board will hold the meeting on the first Wednesday in July. The Board may alternately hold the meeting on a date during the first 15 days in July that is not a legal holiday.~~ The Board will choose this date by resolution at a Board meeting before July.

The Superintendent shall call the meeting to order, and shall preside until the election of a new president. The order of business to be conducted at the re-organizational meeting shall include items required or implied by state law and/or regulation. The Board may also conduct general district business at the end of the meeting before adjourning.

I. Oath of Office

The District Clerk shall administer and countersign the oath of office to newly-elected Board members. The oath shall conform to Article XIII-1 of the New York State Constitution, and Section 10 of the Public Officers Law. No new Board member shall be permitted to vote until he/she has taken the oath of office.

II. Election of Board Officers

The Board shall elect a president and vice-president for the ensuing year, and administer the oath of office to them. A majority of all members of the Board shall be necessary for a valid election.

III. Appointment of District Officers

The Board shall appoint and the Board President administer the oath of office to the following district officers:

District Treasurer

Deputy Treasurer

District Clerk

Claims Auditor

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VI. Appointment of Other Positions

The Board shall appoint the following positions:

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| School Physician | Records Access Officer |
| School Dentist | Records Management Officer |
| Internal Audit Function | Asbestos Designee |
| Title IX/Section 504 Hearing Officer(s) | |
| Treasurer of Student Activity Account | |

V. Bonding of Personnel

The Board may bond the following personnel handling district funds:

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| District Clerk | Claims Auditor |
| District Treasurer | Treasurer of Student Activity AccountS |
| Deputy Treasurer | |

The Board may, in each instance, specify the amount of the bond it intends to obtain. The Board may include any of the above officers in a blanket undertaking, pursuant to law and Commissioner's Regulations, rather than bond individuals.

VI. Designations

The Board shall designate:

- Official depositories for district funds
- Official district newspapers
- The day and time of regular meetings
- Rate for mileage reimbursement

The Board shall also adopt the rotational list of impartial hearing officers for the district as provided by the State Education Department.

VII. Authorizations:

- a. of person to certify payrolls
- b. of school purchasing agent
- c. of attendance at conferences, conventions, workshops, etc., with designated expenses
- d. to establish petty cash funds (and to set amount of such funds)
- e. to designate authorized signatures on checks
- f. of Superintendent of Schools to approve budget transfers

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Cross-ref: 2310, Regular Meetings
5252, Student Activities Funds Management

Ref: New York State Constitution, Article XIII, §1
General Municipal Law §103(2) (official newspapers)
Public Officers Law §§10; 13; 30
Education Law §§ 701 (meeting to elect president, may elect vice president); 1707
(date of meeting); 1904 (central high school districts in Nassau county); 2130
(appoint clerk, bonded treasurer and bonded tax collector); 2504 (small city meeting
during the first week of July, day and time of regular meetings)

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