ROLE OF THE VICE-CHAIR

At its inaugural meeting following a general local election, and for the following three years, at the regular November meeting, the Board shall elect one of its members to serve as Vice-Chair, to hold office at the pleasure of the Board.

Trustees are encouraged to let their names stand for the role of vice-chair as the position provides valuable experience in the area of governance and insight into the duties of the Chair.

Specific Responsibilities

- 1. The Vice-Chair shall act on behalf of the Board Chair, in the latter's absence and shall have all the duties and responsibilities of the Board Chair.
- 2. The Vice-Chair shall assist the Board Chair in ensuring that the Board operates in accordance with its own policies and procedures and in providing leadership and guidance to the Board.
- 3. Prior to each Board meeting, confer with the Board Chair and Superintendent on the items included on the agenda, and become thoroughly familiar with them.
- 4. The Vice-Chair may be assigned other duties and responsibilities by the Board Chair.
- 5. The Vice-Chair shall be an alternate signing authority for the District.

Legal Reference: Section 67, School Act

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