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ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING/OFFICERS OF THE BOARD

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The Board of Trustees annual organizational meeting will be held within 15 calendar days of the first Friday in December. The purpose of the meeting is to elect, from the Board membership, a Board President, Vice-President and Clerk. The Board President, Vice-President and Clerk will serve for one year and traditionally serve for more than one year. The Superintendent/President will serve as Secretary to the Board of Trustees and there will be no term limit for that position.

In October of each year the Board President will appoint a three (3) person Board Officer Nominating Committee and its Chair. Prior to meeting, the Chair of the Nominating Committee will contact each Board member and identify those members who have an interest in holding a Board officer position. The Chair will report this information at the meeting of the Nominating Committee.

The Nominating Committee will meet to discuss the leadership skills and knowledge for each member who has expressed an interest in holding a Board officer position. The Nominating Committee should only nominate a Board member for an officer position if that member has the leadership skills, knowledge, time, experience, ability to resolve conflict, ability to handle difficult situations, ability to accurately represent the board's perspective on issues, and the ability to work constructively with the Superintendent/ President and members of the Board of Trustees. The Nominating Committee will make a recommendation to the full Board for discussion and action at the November meeting of the Board.

In the event of a resignation, absence, or other disability of a Board officer, the nominating committee shall reconvene and develop a recommendation for full Board approval.