BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Vacancies

If a vacancy occurs on the Board of Directors during the first two years of a term, the remaining Board Members shall appoint a replacement to serve until the next regular school election, at which time a Director shall be elected for the unexpired terms. If a vacancy occurs during the last two years of a term, the remaining Board Members shall appoint a replacement to serve until the end of that term.

The Board shall give public notice and receive applications from any qualified persons seeking to fill the position. Sitting as a committee of the whole, the remaining Board Members will evaluate the applicants' credentials, interview candidates, and appoint the replacement.

The vacancy must be filled by a majority of the legally established number of Board Members (three). If there are fewer than three remaining Board Members, the Educational Service District Board shall appoint a sufficient number to reach three.

Should the School Board fail to fill a vacancy within ninety (90) days from the creation of such vacancy, the Educational Service District Board shall appoint the replacement.

Legal Reference: RCW 28A.343.370 School Director Districts-- Vacancies 28A.310.030 ESD Board

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