

VOTING METHOD

Every member of the Board of Education shall vote on all matters, unless excused by the Board President or required to abstain because of possible conflict of interest. At the direction of the Board President or on request of any member, the Board Secretary shall call the roll and record votes for or against a question.

A majority vote, when a quorum is present, is sufficient for the adoption of any resolution or motion that is in order, except as otherwise specifically provided for in the state statutes or Board policy.

All motions shall be in writing before being acted upon, and no motion shall be entertained without a second.

The Board shall not attempt to decide upon any question before examining and evaluating any pertinent information brought to the Board's attention, except in emergency situations. The Superintendent of Schools shall be given an opportunity to examine and evaluate all such information and to recommend action before the Board attempts to make a decision.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 19.88 Wisconsin Statutes
120.44

CROSS REF.: 144, Parliamentary
151, Board Policy Development/Adoption
165, Board Member Code of Ethics
181, Rules of Order
182, Quorum

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