

SCHOOL BOARD BYLAWS

Bylaws**Authority and Title P 1-1**

The school board is a corporate body whose official title shall be the "Lynchburg City School Board."

Legal Reference:

Code of Va., § 22.1-71. School board constitutes body corporate; powers generally.--
"The duly appointed members shall constitute the school board. Every such school board is declared a body corporate and, in its corporate capacity, is vested with all the powers and charged with all the duties, obligations and responsibilities imposed upon school boards by law and may sue, be sued, contract, be contracted with and, in accordance with the provisions of this title, purchase, take, hold, lease and convey school property, both real and personal. School board members appointed by district or otherwise shall have no organization or duties except such as may be assigned to them by the school board as a whole." (1980)

Code of Va., § 22.1-125. Title to property vested in school board; exception; extent of authority.--"A. The title to all school property, both real and personal, within a school division shall be vested in the school board, except that by mutual consent of the school board of a school division composed solely of part or all of a city and the governing body of the city, the title to property may vest in the city.

B. The official care and authority of a school board shall cover all territory included in the geographical boundaries of the school division and all school property located without and contiguous to the boundaries of such school division when the title to such property is vested either in the school board or a city; provided, however, that school property lying without the corporate limits of a city but not adjacent thereto on January one, nineteen hundred sixty-eight, shall be subject to the official care and authority of the school board of such city or the city." (1980)

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