

SCHOOL BOARD BYLAWS

Vacancies: School Board Members P 1-15

The city council shall fill vacancies on the school board for the unexpired terms of school board members.

Legal Reference:

The Code of Ordinate of the City of Lynchburg, Virginia. § 32-16. Board of School Trustees--Appointment and Term. On or before March 1, 1976, the council shall appoint from the electors of the city from each school district established pursuant to the state law, three (3) school trustees, whose terms shall commence March 1, 1976. From each school district one school trustee shall be elected for a term ending June 30, 1976, one for a term ending June 30, 1977, and one for a term ending June 30, 1978. Within thirty (30) days preceding the expiration of the terms expiring June 30, 1976, and annually thereafter, within thirty (30) days of the expiration of the term of each trustee, the council shall appoint a successor to each such trustee in office, whose term shall commence when the term of such predecessor shall have expired and who shall hold his office for a term of three (3) years. (1959)

Code of Va., § 22.1-50. Appointment and term generally; vacancies. – The school board of a school division composed of the city or town to which the provisions of this article are applicable shall be appointed by the governing body of such city or town and shall consist of three members for each district in such city or town. However, the school board of a school division composed of any city or town having only one district shall consist of give members. Members shall be appointed for three-year terms except that initial appointments shall be for such terms that the term of one member from each district expires each year. However, the additional two members of the school board of a school division composed of any city or town having only one district, who are appointed after July 1, 1992, shall be appointed for such terms that the term of one or two members expire each year. The governing body may, by duly adopted ordinance, limit the number of consecutive terms served by school board members. Terms shall commence on July ` . A vacancy occurring on the school board at any time other than by expiration of term shall be filled by the governing body for the unexpired term. Within thirty days preceding July 1 of each year, the governing body shall appoint a successor to each member whose term expires on June 30 of that year, provided the office of that member has not been abolished in redistricting the city or town. (1992)

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