

**VACANCIES**

**POLICY:**

In case of a board vacancy, the remaining board members shall fill such vacancy by appointment. The Board will receive applications from any qualified persons seeking to fill the position after suitable public notice. The Board will appoint one of the candidates to serve until the next regularly scheduled board election, at which time a director shall be elected for the unexpired term, if any.

The appointment shall be approved by roll call vote by not less than three members of the Board. If fewer than three members exist, the Educational Service District board members shall appoint a sufficient number to constitute a legal majority of the Board. Should the Board fail to fill a vacancy within ninety (90) days from the creation of such vacancy, the Educational Service District board members shall fill such vacancy. Appointees shall be United States citizens and qualified voters resident in the school district and appropriate director district, if any.

Cross Reference:

Policy No. 1114: Board Member Resignation

Legal References:

RCW 28A.310.030 ESD Board

RCW 28A.343.370 Directors-Filling vacancies

RCW 28A.330.020 Certain board elections, manner and vote  
required