

RESIGNATION/REMOVAL FROM OFFICE

Whenever a member of the Board of Education shall cease to be a bona fide resident of the District, membership on the Board shall immediately cease. Any member who fails to attend three consecutive meetings of the Board without good cause may be removed by it. Any member who falsely affirms that he/she is not disqualified as a voter is immediately disqualified for office

A Board member may be removed by action of the Commissioner of Education upon recommendation of the Ethics Commission for failure to take mandated training, violations of the Code of Ethics or violations of the Ethics Act. A Board member may be recalled by voters of Old Tappan in accordance with statute, code and applicable case law.

A President or Vice-President of the Board who refuses to perform a duty imposed by law may be removed by a majority vote of all of the members of the Board. If the office of President or Vice-President shall become vacant, the Board shall, within 30 days, fill the vacancy for the unexpired term. If the Board fails to fill the vacancy within such time, the Executive County Superintendent shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

Legal References: N.J.S.A. 18A:11-1 General mandatory powers and duties
 N.J.S.A. 18A:12-2 Inconsistent interests or office prohibited
 N.J.S.A. 18A:12-21 et seq. School Ethics Act
 See particularly:
 N.J.S.A. 18A:12-24, -24.1
 N.J.S.A. 19:27A-1 et seq. Uniform Recall Election Law
 N.J.A.C. 6A:4-1.1 et seq. Appeals
 N.J.A.C. 6A:28-1.1 et seq. School Ethics Commission

Cross References: *4112.8 Nepotism
 *4212.8 Nepotism
 *9113 Filling Vacancies
 *9200 Orientation and training of Board members
 *9270 Conflict of interest

*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.

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