#9540.8 Voting Method

Bylaws

The *ayes*, *nays* and *abstentions* upon votes taken shall be entered on the record on all questions called by the Chairperson. Any member may request that his / her vote be changed if such request is made prior to consideration of the next order of business.

Motions or resolutions shall be recorded as having passed or failed and the votes of each Board member shall be clearly identified.

The affirmative vote of a majority of those members present at any meeting having a quorum shall be considered sufficient for action except for those actions required otherwise by law or these policies. In addition, the following actions shall require a majority vote of the entire Board:

- approval of negotiated personnel contracts;
- approval of the annual budget and special appropriations;
- approval of long-term lease / purchase agreements / contracts;
- approval of the high school course of studies;
- approval of the annual school calendar; and
- approval of transfer of appropriation (line item transfers), in accordance with Board of Education Policy 3140.

Special Circumstances

Vote on Relative of Board Member:

An affirmative vote of the majority of the Board, excluding the relative, duly recorded, showing how each member voted, will be required for the appointment as an employee of any person related to a member of the Board.

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