

SCHOOL COMMITTEE 6000

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AUTHORITY AND ORGANIZATION OF THE COMMITTEE 6401

The Committee can only take lawful action by formal vote at a duly authorized meeting. Election to the Committee confers no privilege or authority on the members, except to attend meetings of the Committee, propose action, debate all proposals, and vote.

As soon as practicable after the school committee members elect have been qualified following each biennial city election, the committee shall organize by electing 1 of the persons elected to the office of school committee member to serve as school committee chair and 1 of the elected members to serve as vice-chair. The Chair shall hold office at the Committee's pleasure, and acceptance of the office shall not affect the right of any member to propose action or to speak or vote.

The officers of the Committee shall be:

1. Chair:
2. Vice-Chair:
3. Secretary: The Superintendent of Schools shall be Secretary to the Committee in accordance with City Ordinance Division 1, Section 21.

See also SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBER ETHICS 6206