

<b>Category:</b> <b>2000 BOARD OF TRUSTEES</b>	<b>Policy Number:</b> <b>2350</b>
<b>Policy Title:</b> <b>BYLAWS</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b> <b>October 19, 2016</b>
<p><b>1. <u>COMPOSITION</u></b>  The Board of Trustees of Snake River School District 52 shall consist of five members.</p> <p><b>2. <u>TERM OF OFFICE</u></b>  Members of the Board of Trustees are elected for a term of four years or until the annual meeting of the district held during the year in which his/her term expires.</p> <p><b>3. <u>QUALIFICATIONS</u></b></p> <p>a. Each trustee at the time of his/her nomination and election or appointment shall:</p> <p>i. Be a school district elector of his/her district.</p> <p>ii. Be a resident of the trustee zone from which nominated and elected or appointed.</p> <p><b>4. <u>OATH OF OFFICE</u></b>  An oath of office shall be administered to each trustee when elected, re-elected, or appointed.</p> <p><b>5. <u>ORGANIZATION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES</u></b></p> <p>a. The officers of the board of trustees shall be elected each year by the membership of the board during the regular July meeting, which is the annual meeting.</p> <p>b. The officers of the board of trustees shall be chairman and vice-chairman and must be members of the board of trustees.</p> <p>c. Each officer is elected for a term of one year.</p> <p><b>6. <u>BASIC DUTY</u></b>  It is the basic duty of each member of the board of trustees to attend all meetings of the board whether regular, special, or adjourned, and to participate in official deliberations and actions.</p> <p><b>7. <u>AUTHORITY OF THE BOARD</u></b></p> <p>a. The State grants its authority to the board, not to the individual members.</p> <p>b. The board actually is not in existence unless it is sitting in a legal session. It is only in legal session that a board has authority. Members of the board have authority only when acting as a board legally in session.</p> <p>c. The board shall not be bound in any way by any action or statement on the part of an individual board member except when such statement or action is in pursuance of specific instruction from the board.</p> <p>d. No board member, by virtue of his office, shall exercise any administrative responsibility with respect to the school or as an individual, or to command the services of any school employee.</p> <p><b>8. <u>COMPENSATION</u></b></p> <p>a. Members of the board of trustees serve without compensation.</p> <p>b. The payment of necessary travel expense is legally authorized.</p>	
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