

## BOARD OF ELECTION – ELECTION

1. The Board shall consist of six members elected at large. Elected members will serve a term of four years.
2. The School Board election shall be held on the first Tuesday in November on even years.\* A candidate must file for election not more than ten nor less than eight weeks before the election. At least five voters can compete and file an application on behalf of a candidate. A successful candidate must file an oath of acceptance of office within 30 days after the election certificate has been delivered to the candidate by the clerk.
3. The polling place or places and the hours they are open shall be set by the School Board. If the Board fails to act, the polling place or places and the hours they are open shall be the same as those in the preceding election.
4. The election judges shall be appointed by the School Board.
5. If a vacancy occurs on the School Board, the Board may fill the vacancy at a regular or special School Board meeting. The appointed person shall serve the remainder of the unexpired term and until a successor is elected and qualifies at the school district election.
6. Any proposition submitted to the voters of the district other than elections to the School Board must be submitted on a separate ballot.
7. Except in the case of certain health care patients, an application for absentee ballots may be submitted at any time not less than one day before the election. Upon receipt of the absentee ballots, two or more election judges shall examine each return envelope and mark it accepted or rejected in the manner specified. Accepted absentee ballots are placed in the ballot box

\*Note: The election in 1997 will be the last odd year election.