Section: 1000 - Board of Directors

Oath of Office

According to statutory provision, each new director will take an oath or affirmation to support the constitutions of the United States and the state of Washington and to promote the interests of education and to faithfully discharge the duties of his/her office to the best of his/her ability. A school district officer or notary public authorized to administer oaths must certify to this oath and the signature of the member. After completion, the oath of office will be filed with the county auditor.

It is the policy of Edmonds School District that each person elected or appointed as a member of the Board of Directors shall, before entering upon the discharge of the duties thereof, take and subscribe to the oath of office which appears on the reverse side of the certificate of election. The oath of office, required by statute, is as follows:

"I, (Name), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution and Laws of the United States and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Washington, and that I will faithfully and impartially perform and discharge the duties of the office of School Director of Edmonds School District No. 15 according to law to the best of my ability."

The original certificate of election, with the oath of office executed and notarized on the reverse side, shall be promptly forwarded by the secretary of the Board of Directors to the Auditor of Snohomish County.

Legal References: RCW 28A.343.360 Oath of office

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