

Policy Code: 2200 Election of Officers/Organization of Board

The board will elect a chairperson and a vice-chairperson to serve for a term of one year or until his or her successor is elected and qualified by taking the oath of office prescribed in [Article VI, Sec. 7 of the North Carolina Constitution](#) (see policy 2110, Board Member Appointments). An organizational meeting for the election and qualification of officers will be held at the regularly scheduled ~~July~~ **August meeting or at briefing prior to the August meeting** of the board and as often thereafter as the board determines appropriate. The officers will be elected in the following order: chairperson, vice-chairperson.

The chairperson may serve a maximum of four successive years and will then be eligible again after someone else has served as chairperson. If the chairperson resigns from office, the position will be filled by the vice-chairperson for the remainder of the term. If the vice-chairperson resigns from office or becomes chairperson, the position will be filled at the time the vacancy occurs. The individual elected must have the majority vote of all members present.

If necessary at any meeting held to elect officers, the secretary to the board will serve as chairperson of the board for the purpose of conducting the election of the chairperson.

Legal References: [G.S. 115C-41](#)

Cross References: Board Member Appointments (policy 2110)

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