**Board Bylaws** Bylaw #9320.1

## QUORUM/VOTING REQUIREMENTS/ABSTENTION VOTES

A majority of the members of the Governing Board shall constitute a quorum. Affirmative votes by a majority of the Board members are required to approve any action item under consideration regardless of the number of members present unless otherwise provided by law.

Four or more members shall constitute a quorum. Should there be less than four members of the Board present at a regular meeting, a time for the adjourned meeting shall be set by members present, and such adjourned meeting shall be deemed a regular meeting.

In determining the vote on any matter considered by the Governing Board, only actual votes for or against the matter shall be counted. Members of the Governing Board may abstain from voting on any matter before the Board, and such abstention vote shall not be counted for or against the matter. Nothing herein shall be construed to reduce the vote necessary for the Governing Board to take official action.

## Legal Reference:

**Education Code** 

5094 Power of president of county board to appoint members of county board to local board until new members of board are appointed or elected (when majority of offices are vacant) 5095 Powers of remaining board members and new appointees

35014 Adoption of rules by governing boards

35163 Official actions, minutes and journal

35164 Vote requirements

39430-39432 Leasing for production of gas (requires unanimous vote of all board members) 39500-39503 Sale or lease of real property to other public agencies (requires unanimous vote of all board members)

39648 Emergency repair contracts without bids (requires unanimous vote of all board members)

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