

Governance Policies of the Board

- 5.2.5. The Chairperson may delegate this authority but remains accountable for its use.
- 5.2.6. The Chairperson will determine, in concert with the CEO as necessary, whether to place on an agenda consideration of documents of support or recognition (e.g., resolutions, commendations, certificates of appreciation, etc.) for individuals, organizations or efforts in the community by evaluating whether the individual, organization or effort has a clear nexus to issues relevant to the District.
 - 5.2.6.1. A Board member may, at his or her discretion, request the CEO to prepare for the Board member's signature a Certificate of Appreciation for an individual, organization, or effort. The Chair may also sign the certificate.
 - 5.2.6.2. No more than three Board members may sign one of the above-mentioned documents, unless the action was approved by the Board at a Board meeting.
 - 5.2.6.3. Should there be disagreement between the Chair and a Board member over a request for placement of any of the above-mentioned documents on an agenda, the Board member may request that the matter be placed on the next available Board agenda for consideration.
- 5.2.7. The Chair may add agenda items to agendas.
- 5.3. The Board of Directors elects both the Chairperson (Chair) and Vice Chairperson (Vice Chair) of the Board. The Chair and Vice Chair each serve 1-year terms beginning at the first Board meeting in January of each year.

Accordingly:

- 5.3.1. Beginning in the calendar year 2012, the positions of Chair and Vice Chair shall rotate from member to member in numerical order continuing from the 2010 rotation: the District 4 Director would be Chair and District 5 Director would be Vice Chair; the Vice Chair follows the Chair in sequence.
- 5.3.2. Any Board member may, at his/her discretion, and on a one-time basis, postpone, by one year, the acceptance of either the Chair or Vice Chair office by "swapping" with the Director immediately following him/her on the list of succession.
 - 5.3.2.1. Provided, however, that newly-elected or appointed Board members will postpone, by one year, the acceptance of the Chair office by "swapping" with the Director immediately following him/her on the list of succession.

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- 5.3.3. Any Board member may, at his/her discretion, decline to serve as Chair or Vice Chair. In the event the Board member declines to serve, that District shall be skipped and the next District Board member shall serve in their stead.
- 5.3.4. The Clerk of the Board shall maintain the list of Board member service as Chair or Vice Chair.