

## By-Laws

**SUBJECT: BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBERS: QUALIFICATIONS**

A Board of Education member of the Gouverneur Central School District must meet the following qualifications:

- a) A citizen of the United States;
- b) Eighteen (18) years of age or older;
- c) Able to read and write;
- d) A legal resident one (1) year prior to the election;
- e) Cannot be an employee of the Gouverneur Central School District;
- f) The only member of his/her family (that is, cannot be a member of the same household) on the Gouverneur Central School District Board;
- g) May not simultaneously hold another, incompatible public office, including, but not limited to Superintendent, clerk, tax collector, treasurer or librarian, or an employee of the Board. In Central School Districts, however, a Board member may be appointed clerk of the Board and of the District;
- h) Must not have been removed from a school district office within one (1) year preceding the date of appointment or election to the Board.

Education Law Sections 1804(1), 1950(9), 2101, 2102; 2103, 2103-a, 2130(1), and 2502(7)  
Public Officers Law Section 3

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