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Votes on motions shall be taken by roll call vote or by other voting method that allows for the ascertaining and recording of the individual vote of each Board member as required by law or when requested by any member of the Board. Voting by roll call shall be initiated by the Board Clerk, or designee, and members shall respond as their name is called. The order of voting shall rotate, except that the Board President or other presiding officer shall vote last. The results of voting shall be recorded by the Board Clerk, or designee, who shall announce the results to those present at the meeting if the results are not

apparent.

Voting by secret ballot may be used only in the election of Board officers.

A motion is passed/adopted when a majority of the members voting have cast their votes in favor of the motion, except as otherwise required by law or by the

Board.

No board member may cast a vote by proxy or by absentee ballot.

No action of the Board shall be deemed void, voidable, or otherwise improper solely due to a failure to adhere to discretionary voting procedures set forth or incorporated within Board policy.

**LEGAL REF.:** 19.88, 120.11(1) Wisc. Statutes

CROSS REF.: 141, Board Officers

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