

**25-2023. Oath of office; commencement of terms; length of terms.** Each board member shall qualify by filing an oath of office with the election officer not later than ten (10) days following the date of the election, or not later than five (5) days after issuance of such member's certificate of election, whichever is the later date. Each board member shall take office on the July 1 following the general school election. Each member elected to a board of education shall hold office until a successor is elected or appointed and qualified and shall serve for a term of four (4) years.

**History:** L. 1968, ch. 59, § 32; L. 1974, ch. 164, § 1; July 1.