

The Okefenokee RESA Board of Control shall elect annually by majority vote a Chairperson, a Vice-Chairperson, who shall preside in the absence of the Chairperson, and any other officers needed to function effectively. With the exception of the Secretary (Executive Director), all Okefenokee RESA Board of Control officers shall be elected annually to serve terms July 1 immediately following their election, or until their successors are elected.

The Chairperson shall preside at all Okefenokee RESA Board of Control meetings, appoint all committees, and assign special responsibilities to board members when necessary. The Chairperson shall sign, on behalf of the Okefenokee RESA Board of Control, documents requiring such signature.

The Chairperson and the Vice-Chairperson may have other duties delegated to them by the Board of Control. When serving as presiding officer at any meeting of the Board of Control, the Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson shall have the privilege of participating in debate and voting.

The Okefenokee RESA Executive Director shall be the ex-officio secretary/treasurer of the Board of Control will all duties as set forth in state law and the State Board of Education.

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**Policy Reference Disclaimer:** These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

**Note:** *The State of Georgia has moved the Georgia Code. This new environment no longer allows us to link directly to the Georgia Code. For example enter 20-02-0211 in the search window and the Georgia Code will appear.*

<b>Georgia Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
O.C.G.A. 20-02-0057	<a href="#">Organization of LBOEs; chairperson and secretary; quorum; record and proceedings</a>

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