

Bylaw and Policy Amendment, Proposal, or Repeal Process

- *A school board member or the CEO identifies an issue or problem needing resolution by the Board of Directors and submits it to the FSBA office using the <u>Bylaws and Policies Proposal</u> Form.
- 2. The Policy Committee discusses any issues or problems to determine the ramifications of each proposal and prepares recommendations on each issue or problem for presentation to the Board of Directors.
- 3. The Policy Committee Chair presents recommendations to the Board of Directors who determine the necessity of amending, establishing, or repealing a bylaw or policy.
- 4. The Board of Directors (BOD) discuss and accept/reject each bylaw or policy recommendation. A motion must be made and passed by a majority vote of the BOD to present a bylaw or policy recommendation to the general membership.
- 5. Each bylaw and/or policy recommendation that is approved by the Board of Directors is sent electronically thirty (30) days prior to a general membership meeting. A two-thirds vote is required to change a bylaw and majority vote is required to change policy.
- 6. **The CEO takes the necessary action to implement any adopted bylaw(s) and policy(ies) and incorporates them into the FSBA Bylaws and/or the FSBA Policy Manual.
- 7. The amended FSBA Bylaws and/or FSBA Policy Manual are posted on all electronic platforms for member access.
 - *The Policy Committee Chair may also send a memorandum to all Board members to request submission of a bylaw or policy amendment. All submissions are collected for review at Committee meetings or the Annual Joint Conference.
 - **The action may require conferences with the affected individuals, directions to staff members, correspondence with the general membership, etc. The action to be taken depends on the issue problem.