

## **SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER TRAINING**

All Illinois school Board members must receive training in professional development leadership (P.A. 97-8) and the Open Meetings Act (P.A. 97-504). Mandatory training will also be required after the new teacher evaluation requirements are implemented in each school district. For additional information, see Board policy 2:120, Board Member Development.

The following table contains mandatory and non-mandatory training and development activities that have been completed by each Board member. When the training was provided by the Illinois Association of School Boards, the acronym "IASB" follows the listed activity.

| <b>Name</b>   | <b>Development and Training Activity</b>  | <b>Date Completed</b>                  |
|---|---|--|
| William G. McDowell<br>Term Began: 2016<br>Term Expires: 2025           | Open Meetings Act (OMA) – ROE Schoolworks<br>Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) – ROE Schoolworks<br>Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) – ROE Schoolworks | 6/18/2019<br>6/18/2019<br>6/18/2019    |
| Britt Belford, Vice President<br>Term Began: 2020<br>Term Expires: 2025 | Open Meetings Act (OMA) – IASB Training<br>PDLT/PERA - IASB Training<br>Basics of Governance - IASB Training  | 11/2/2023<br>11/2/2023<br>11/2/2023    |
| Colby Potts<br>Term Began: 2021<br>Term Expires: 2025                   | Open Meetings Act (OMA) – ROE Schoolworks<br>Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) – ROE Schoolworks<br>Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) – ROE Schoolworks | 6/22/2021<br>6/22/2021<br>6/22/2021    |
| Ryan Cowsert<br>Term Began: 2023<br>Term Expires: 2027                  | Open Meetings Act (OMA) – IASB Training<br>PDLT/PERA - IASB Training<br>Basics of Governance - IASB Training  | 5/17/2023<br>5/17/2023<br>5/18/2023    |
| Jana Cowgill, Secretary<br>Term Began: 2023<br>Term Expires: 2027       | Open Meetings Act (OMA) - IASB Training<br>PDLT/PERA - IASB Training<br>Basics of Governance - IASB Training  | 5/11/2023                              |
| Mike Dutton<br>Term Began: 2023<br>Term Expires: 2027                   | Open Meetings Act (OMA)<br>PDLT/PERA - IASB Training<br>Basics of Governance - IASB Training  |  |
| Ryan Vaughn<br>Term Began: 2023<br>Term Expires: 2025                   | Open Meetings Act (OMA)<br>PDLT/PERA - IASB Training<br>Basics of Governance - IASB Training  | 12/10/2023<br>12/17/2023<br>12/10/2023 |

The Illinois Association of School Boards (IASB) is a voluntary organization of local boards of education dedicated to strengthening the Illinois public schools through local citizen control. Although not a part of State government, IASB is organized by member school boards as a private not-for-profit corporation under authority granted by Article 23 of the School Code. The mission of the IASB is excellence in local school governance in support of quality public education. For more information regarding IASB and its programs, visit [www.iasb.com](http://www.iasb.com)