



Policy: 3.04

**SUBJECT: BOARD MEMBER RESIGNATION/EXPULSION OR
REMOVAL FROM OFFICE**

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1.0 Policy

If an at-large member's residence is moved from the city of Detroit, or a voting district member's residence is moved from the voting district, it constitutes a vacating of office.

A Board member may be expelled or removed from office, by vote of 2/3 of the members serving, for corrupt or willful malfeasance or misfeasance in office, or for willful neglect of the duties of the member's office. The reason for the expulsion or removal shall be entered on the records of the Board with the names and votes of the members voting on the question.

A Board member shall not be expelled or removed unless the member is furnished with a written copy of the charges and is allowed to be heard in his or her defense, with aid of counsel.

For this purpose, the Board shall have power to issue subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of papers, and shall proceed within ten (10) days after service of a copy of the charge to hear and determine the merits of the case.

The Board member's failure to appear may be good cause for removal from office.

Attachments to Policy 3.04: None

See also: None

Legal References: MCLA § 380.411a
 MCLA § 380.412a
 MCLA § 380.414a
 MCLA § 380.415

Labor Contract References: None