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The five (5) members of the Alexander City Board of Education shall be appointed by the Alexander City Council. Terms of the office of member of the Board shall be five (5) years. Members of the Board shall be appointed by the City Council at the first regular meeting of the Council in the month of April. The newly appointed Board member will assume office at the first regularly scheduled Board meeting following the appointment. Members shall serve on the Board until their successor assumes office.

The Alexander City Council shall make appointments to fill unexpired vacancies on the Board of Education. The Council may set any time to fill the vacancy of an un-expired term.

Any Board member shall be considered resigned when he or she permanently establishes residence outside the City or becomes an employee of the Alexander City Board of Education.

Members of the Alexander City Board of Education are officers of the State and may be removed from office only through impeachment proceedings in Circuit Court or other court of like jurisdiction as stipulated in the Alabama Constitution of 1901.

Causes for impeachment of any Board member shall be those applicable to all public officers, namely:

1. willful neglect of duty;
2. corruption in office;
3. incompetence;
4. intemperance in the use of intoxicating liquors or narcotics to such an extent that it renders the officer unfit to discharge duties of the office; or
5. any offense involving moral turpitude while in office, or connected therewith.

REFERENCE(S): CODE OF ALABAMA 16-11-2, 16-11-3, 36-9-1,

Legislative Acts 91-161, 93-536, 95-258, 98-627,

ALABAMA CONSTITUTION of 1901 ARTICLE VII

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