

## **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 Term Began: 2016 Term Expires: 2025	Open Meetings Act (OMA) – ROE Schoolworks Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) – ROE Schoolworks Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) – ROE Schoolworks	6/18/2019 6/18/2019 6/18/2019
H. Gene Fatheree, President Term Began: 2019 Term Expires: 2025	Open Meetings Act (OMA) – Office of the Attorney General Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) – ROE Schoolworks Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) – ROE Schoolworks	5/31/2019 6/18/2019 6/18/2019
Britt Belford, Vice President Term Began: 2020 Term Expires: 2025	Open Meetings Act (OMA) Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA)	
Colby Potts Term Began: 2021 Term Expires: 2025	Open Meetings Act (OMA) – ROE Schoolworks Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) – ROE Schoolworks Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) – ROE Schoolworks	6/22/2021 6/22/2021 6/22/2021
Ryan Cowsert Term Began: 2023 Term Expires: 2027	Open Meetings Act (OMA) – IASB Training Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) - IASB Training Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) - IASB Training	5/17/2023 5/17/2023 5/17/2023
Jana Cowgill, Secretary Term Began: 2023 Term Expires: 2027	Open Meetings Act (OMA) - IASB Training Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA)	5/11/2023
Mike Dutton Term Began: 2023 Term Expires: 2027	Open Meetings Act (OMA) Professional Development Leadership (PDLT) Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA)	

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