

HB 229 -- SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER RECALL

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This bill establishes a recall procedure for school board members.

Members may not be recalled during the first 30 days or last 180 days of their term. The recall petition requirements are outlined in the bill and include grounds for which a recall may be called which include but are not limited to: conduct that adversely affects the rights and interests of the public; commission of an act of malfeasance; and moral turpitude.

The notice for recall is required to be sent to the Board member's school district and the Board member may file a statement in response to the recall notice of intention. Procedures for the circulation of a petition for recall, the certification of the petition, and the date and manner for the recall ballot language and election are outlined in the bill.

This bill is the same as HB 2360 (2020).