

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS POLICY ON
BOARD MEMBER COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

Adopted on March 21, 2000

1. Board Committee appointments shall be categorized in accordance with the following descriptions and delineated as on the attached listing:
 - a) **Internal appointments** that are subject to the annual reorganization process and to which the incoming Chair of the Board of Supervisors makes nominations to be approved by the Board of Supervisors. Ad Hoc committees of the Board also fall under this category.
 - b) **Regional appointments** that are not subject to the annual reorganization process and to which the Chair of the Board of Supervisors makes nominations to fill vacancies, as they occur, in accordance with the agency's terms and by-laws, and which nominations shall be approved by the Board of Supervisors.
 - c) **Special Case/Restricted appointments**, for which the specific assignments are dictated or are in some way restricted by statute or county ordinance, or for which the term of the appointment makes it impractical for it to be considered along with the other annual assignments e.g., a term that runs from July to June. Restrictions might include, for example, that a committee member represent a certain district, be the Chair of the Board, or vest in the Chair of the Board the authority to appoint an alternate.

The Chair of the Board of Supervisors shall make nominations to these appointments to fill vacancies, as they occur, subject to any legislated restrictions, and which nominations shall be approved by the Board of Supervisors.
2. Notwithstanding Paragraph 1 of this policy and as allowed by law, the Board of Supervisors maintains its right to nominate, reconsider and change appointments at any time, irrespective of the term of an appointment.
3. All nominations approved by the Board of Supervisors shall be incorporated in three attachments to an annually adopted Master Resolution covering committee appointments from all three categories: Internal, Regional and Special Case/Restricted. For administrative ease, the Master Resolution shall be amended and re-adopted from time to time as terms expire or if new appointments are made. The Master Resolution shall always reflect the complete roster of Board member appointments and shall be available to the public.