Sec. 3309.012. As used in this section, "school board member" means a member of a city, local, county, exempted village, or joint vocational school district board of education AND "GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER" MEANS A MEMBER OF AN EDUCATIONAL SERVICE CENTER GOVERNING BOARD.

A school board OR GOVERNING BOARD member may elect to become a member of the school employees retirement system with all rights, privileges, and obligations of membership on providing notice to the school employees retirement board on a form provided by the board.