

**BCAE Public Hearings**

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The board may hold public hearings on matters which the board deems appropriate.

Public hearings will be held at a convenient time and a suitable place.

The board president or vice-president shall preside at public hearings and shall request every participant to state name, residence and purpose for speaking. After a hearing is called to order the board may delegate another individual to run the actual hearing.

Approved: January 26, 2004

**Sample Only: Decide on local time limits, retype and  
file with the clerk after board approval.**

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**Request to Add an Agenda Item**

This form must be completed and returned to the clerk or the superintendent at least **{\_7\_}** days before the meeting at which you wish to speak. Your request will be reviewed, and one of two recommendations will be made:

1. Referral of your request to the appropriate administrator.
2. Decision by the Board of Education to add as agenda item.
  - Presentations shall not exceed **{\_5\_}** minutes.
  - Subjects, other than policy issues, will generally be referred to the administration.
  - Comments shall be limited to issues and not refer to personalities.
  - Presentations must be in good taste befitting the occasion and the dignity of the board meeting.
  - Typed copy or an outline of your presentation should be included with this request form.

Permission to appear before the board at a regular meeting is subject to the above rules.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Individual or organization (if any) you represent \_\_\_\_\_  
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Organization's address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

District official's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date received \_\_\_\_\_ Time received \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: