

2009 Public Participation at Board Meetings

The board of education shall conduct its meetings in accordance with state law.

The board shall make reasonable efforts to accommodate the public's right to hear the discussions and testimony presented at its meetings. The board shall permit public comment at meetings as required by law, subject to lawful limitations at the discretion of the board. The board may make and enforce reasonable rules and regulations regarding the conduct of persons attending, speaking at, videotaping, photographing, or recording its meetings.

Speaking on an agenda item. Any individual who desires to speak about an item on the agenda, is asked to sign up with the superintendent or designee prior to the start of the meeting and will be recognized by the president or presiding officer before speaking on the agenda item.

Speaking on a non-agenda item. Persons who wish to speak about an item that is not on the agenda are asked to present such request to the superintendent or the board president in writing, prior to the beginning of the meeting. Persons who present such a request may be allowed to speak about the topic before the meeting is adjourned.

Procedures. Unless an extension of time is granted, a speaker will be limited to a maximum of three minutes. Speakers are asked to avoid repetition. If several people wish to speak on the same subject, it is suggested that a spokesperson be chosen.

Speakers may not discuss specific personnel or students, but rather should discuss those issues privately with appropriate district personnel.

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