

Descriptor Term: ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FINAL ADOPTION PROCEDURES

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Prior to the adoption of a budget pursuant to this section, this school board shall hold at least one (1) public hearing to provide the general public with an opportunity to comment on the taxing and spending plan incorporated in the proposed budget. The public hearing shall be held at least one (1) week prior to the adoption of the budget with advance notice. After final adoption of the budget a synopsis of such budget in a form prescribed by the State Department of Audit shall be published in a newspaper having general circulation in the school district on a date different from the date on which the county or any municipality therein may publish its budget. ' 37-61-9 (3)

A public body may hold an executive session for the transaction of business and discussions regarding employment and termination of employees. The exemption provided in this paragraph includes the right to hold closed meetings concerning employees as such exemption relates to their deletion from any budget subject to approval of the public body. **Final budgetary adoption shall not be taken in executive session.** ' 25-41-7(4) (k)

LEGAL REF.: MS CODE as cited

CROSS REF.: Policies BCAE C Public Hearings

BCBK C Executive Sessions

DCCA C Budget Deadlines and Schedules