

Public Comments Submitted Electronically for the
January 23, 2025, Regular Board Meeting/Recognition Meeting

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**Closed Session: Conference with Labor Negotiators - Government
Code § 54957.6**

Name	Comment
None given	Please, new members, you need to learn about negotiating in this district and the IBB approach. Outside of Closed Session discussions and update board members DO NOT discuss with staff. Focus on how professional and competent district staff are.

**Items not on the agenda, within the subject matter jurisdiction of
the Board**

Name	Comment
None given	For future recognition meetings keep in mind adding governance items at the end requires interested community members to wait. This should be used only when items are so critical they can't wait two weeks.

Recognitions

Name	Comment
None given	These recognitions are all about students and staff. New members this is not the time for your commentaries or stories.
None given	Love, love, love this event every year.

**Action Item: Board Consideration for the Selection of a
Superintendent Search Firm**

Name	Comment
None given	I hope you are all functional enough to make a decision to select firms to interview and get this process moving. Thank you.

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None given	This selection is critical and I urge you to delay the choice to allow Dr. Kelly to participate in questions, discussion and selection. When calendared in December at the organization meeting this was solely a recognition. All members should be present when making key decisions.
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Action Item: Board Direction Regarding Sand Volleyball Courts

Name	Comment
None given	Is this really the most important thing you have to do right now?
None given	There seems to be a lack of information on options. The city needs to support the sand volleyball sports teams and allocate time at Main Beach. Money savings to the district and easier access for students and spectators on competition days. Recreational players waiting for courts would enjoy watching student athletes

**Discussion Item: Board Discussion Regarding Board Policy 1100
Communication with the Public**

Name	Comment
None given	What in the world could you possibly want to talk about. The communications department in LBUSD is second to none. Messages regularly go out via Parent Square to parents from teachers, administrators, and district office communications. In addition a multitude of press releases are issued so the community is informed. Stop trying to cater to the 79% and remember this is a school district and your number one priority IS THE STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES. The community is an important and vital connection, but is not your number one focus. We are not asleep anymore and parents are watching and learning from your behaviors. Thank you Joan and Jim for doing what is in the best interest of students, and talking about their needs regularly.

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None given	Why is this coming forward outside of the next policy workshop? Again Dr. Kelly should be present. Over the years Dr. Kelly has been very concerned about public communication and under his tenure various forms of informing the community,parents and staff has been expanded. Please table this until the policy workshop. The need to address public comment at meetings is part of protocols and should be addressed at the governance meeting.
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