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## **Public Participation At Board Meetings**

The Board will provide an orderly framework for handling communications, suggestions, and complaints from the public to the end that public access to the Board will be maintained and problems resolved.

All Board meetings, with the exception of executive sessions, will be open to the public. Audience participation and communications from the public will be a standard part of the agenda for regular meetings.

To achieve meetings and conduct its business in an efficient manner, the Board may set a time limit on the period of audience participation or a time limit for individual speakers. Speakers must be recognized by the chairperson and will observe Board policy concerning complaints against school personnel.

The Board is legally empowered to take a variety of appropriate actions if an individual or group disrupts a meeting.

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