



Book	Policy Manual
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Public Participation at Board Meetings

All meetings of the Board and Board-appointed committees are open to the public.

In order for the Board to fulfill its obligation to complete the planned agenda in an effective and efficient fashion, a maximum of 30 minutes of public participation may be permitted at each meeting.

Each person addressing the Board shall give his/her name and address. Each person is allotted three minutes. Persons desiring more time should follow the procedure of the Board to be placed on the regular agenda. The period of public participation may be extended by a vote of the majority of the Board, present and voting.

Agendas are available to all those who attend Board meetings. The section on the agenda for public participation shall be indicated. Noted at the bottom of each agenda shall be a short paragraph outlining the Board's policy on public participation at Board meetings.

CROSS REFS.: BCE, Board Committees
 BD, School Board Meetings
 BDDC, Agenda Preparation and Dissemination
 BG, Board-Staff Communications (Also GBD)

Legal [ORC 121.22\(C\)](#)
[ORC 3313.20\(A\)](#)

Cross References

[BCE - Board Committees](#)

[BD - School Board Meetings](#)

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