

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS

The Board of Education, as a representative body of the District, wishes to provide an avenue for any citizen to express their interest in and concerns for the schools. Accordingly, the public is cordially invited to attend Board of Education meetings.

In order that the Board of Education may fairly and adequately discharge its overall responsibility, citizens who wish to make requests, representations, or proposals to the Board of Education are requested to direct these to the Board of Education President or the District Administrator, who will deal with them according to rules adopted by the Board of Education. The intent of this policy is:

1. to allow everyone who wishes it, a fair and adequate hearing;
2. to allow anyone, except current Rice Lake Area School District Board of Education members, wishing to make comments at a Board of Education meeting to be so invited by the Board of Education President to speak for no more than three (3) minutes.
3. to allow the District Administrator to take direct action, or to recommend action to the Board of Education, when policies have already been established by the Board of Education; and
4. to see to it that the time so devoted (30-minute maximum) does not interfere with the fulfillment of the Board of Education's tasks.

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