

Board and Public Participation in Meetings

1. Unless specifically designated as executive in nature, all meetings of the Lafayette School Corporation Board of School Trustees are open meetings. The public is encouraged to attend.
2. All requests to make formal presentations to the board should be placed with the superintendent of schools prior to noon on the Monday preceding the regular meeting date. Time will be given to present non agenda information to the board during the public participation portion of the meeting. The Board President may limit each speaker to no more than three (3) minutes. Subsequent speakers will be asked to limit their remarks to ideas not yet presented.
3. A person appearing before the board shall not be permitted to discuss any motion pending before the board except by consent of the board.
4. It shall not be permissible to orally present or discuss complaints against individual employees of the Lafayette School Corporation at any public board meeting. Such charges or complaints shall be presented to the board in writing and shall be signed by the person or persons making the charge or complaint. Executive session may be granted for the hearings of charges against individuals, whether students or employees, per applicable law.
5. The public shall be given the opportunity to speak during any public hearing. Normally, the public will be provided the opportunity to speak at a designated time on the agenda of any regular board meeting. The Board President may limit each speaker to no more than three (3) minutes. Subsequent speakers will be asked to limit their remarks to ideas not yet presented. Public participation at special board meetings shall be at the discretion of the board president. Work sessions are public meetings where the public is invited to observe, but normally no period of public participation will be provided.

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