

Welcome to the Homer Community School Board of Education meeting. The board welcomes patrons, and we appreciate your attendance at this board meeting. Members of the public are encouraged to share their thoughts and ideas with the board during the agenda item labeled "Public Comment." Comments or questions from the audience at any other time during the meeting will be declared out of order.

We appreciate your willingness to abide by the rules of order. This is the only time during this meeting when the public may speak. Any person wishing to make public comment must abide by and adhere to applicable board policies, including, but not limited to the following:

- Everyone wishing to speak must complete a speaker card (cards are located at the table near the entrance to this room).
- Everyone who comes forward to speak must state your name, address, the name of any organization being represented and the topic you are addressing before you begin.
- A time limit per board policy 204.12 of 5 minutes is allotted for each speaker.
- There is a total time limit of 30 minutes allotted for all speakers.
- The board will not respond to comments or questions.
- The board will not take action on the comments presented by the speakers but will direct the comments to appropriate staff members.
- Offensive language and hostile disorderly conduct will not be tolerated. In the event that the Board President and/or superintendent determines any statement or comment constitutes offensive language or hostile or disorderly conduct, then the Board President and/or will declare the person out of order and the person will be prohibited from speaking further.
- In the event that any person is unruly, abusive, or otherwise distrupts the meeting or the board's conduct of business, such person may be removed from the meeting by law enforcement.

The board will receive public comment in the order as printed on the speaker cards received. I would like to invite patron "name" No. ___ to offer their comment. Please begin by stating your name and address. Per board policy 204.12 you will have 5 minutes to share your comments. I will give you a warning by raising my hand when you have 30 seconds left to complete your comment.