

PUBLIC SESSIONS

All Board of Education meetings must be open to public. A "meeting" is defined as an official convening of a public body for the purpose of conducting public business. The Board and its committees, if any, are public bodies.

Whenever such a meeting is to take place, there must be at least seventy-two (72) hours advance notice in accordance with the provisions of the Open Meetings Law. Notice of other meetings shall be given as soon as is practicable in accordance with law.

The quorum for any meeting of the Board shall be four members. No formal action shall be taken at any meeting at which a quorum is not present. Provided a quorum exists, the Board shall act by unanimous vote unless otherwise required by the laws of the State of New York.

Residents will be permitted to speak to the Board of Education during the "Privilege of the Floor" portion of the agenda. The President will request that all speakers identify themselves and place of residence.

Chapter 704 of the Laws of 1979
Public Officers Law Sections 97, 99, 100, 101

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