

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

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Members of the community are invited and encouraged to attend meetings of the Alexandria City School Board to observe its deliberations. Members of the public may address the Board on matters related to Alexandria City Public Schools at any regular meeting. ~~Persons wishing to address the School Board are requested to contact the Clerk of the Board for placement on the agenda in accordance with ~~School Board~~ Regulation BDDH-R/KD-R.~~

The Board Chair is responsible for the orderly conduct of the meeting and ~~shall~~ may rule on such matters as the appropriateness of the subject being presented and length of time for such presentation. No one will be allowed to make additional presentations until everyone who wishes to speak has an opportunity to make an initial presentation.

A reasonable period of time, as determined by the School Board in accordance with Regulation BDDH-R/KD-R, will be allocated at each regular meeting for community members to present matters of public concern related to the operation of the school division.

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Legal Refs.: Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, sections 22.1-78, 22.1-253.13:7.C.4
2016 Op. Va. Att’y Gen. 15-020
Baca v. Moreno Valley Unified Sch. District, 936 F. Supp. 719 (C.D. Cal. 1996)
Leventhal v. Vista Unified School District, 973 F. Supp. 951 (S.D. Cal. 1997)
Bach v. School Board of the City of Virginia Beach, 139 F. Supp. 2d. 738, 743 (E.D. Va. 2001)

Cross Ref.: BDDE Rules of Order
 BDDH-R Regulations for Public Communications with the School Board
KL Public Complaints