BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Public Participation

The Board recognizes the value of public comment on the educational issues and the importance of involving members of the public in meetings. The Board encourages patrons and other interested parties to give input regarding the development of the Board agenda. To further encourage public participation, the Board will allow comments from patrons and other interested parties to be given at the beginning of each Board meeting regarding items not related to the agenda.

The President may interrupt or terminate an individual's statement when it is too lengthy, personally directed, abusive obscene or irrelevant. The Board as a whole shall have the final decision in determining the appropriateness of all such rulings.

Legal Reference:	RCW	42.30.030	Meetings Declared Open and Public
		42.30.050	Interruptions--Procedure

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