

PRE-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD PROTOCOL

July 13, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.

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Notice and	In accordance with School Board Policy BEDH, members of the public shall be able to
Purpose:	address the School Board during a "Public Comment Period" at the beginning of any
	regularly scheduled School Board meeting. A pre-agenda public comment period will
	begin at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2021.
Public	The Public Comment Period shall begin promptly at 4:00 p.m. and conclude no later than
Comment	thirty (30) minutes after commencing. If there are no speakers, the Public Comment Period
Period	may be concluded prior to the expiration of the thirty (30) minutes.
	Speakers may only address the School Board on germane topics that are related to the work
	of the School Board; topics that are not on the School Board's agenda for that meeting.
Public	For those members of the public who wish to address the School Board during the Public
Comment -	Comment Period, the telephone line number for such participation is (407) 250-6270.
Telephonically	• Callers may get into the calling queue from 3:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Up to ten (10) callers
	will be placed into the queue and speakers will be taken in the order received alternating
	between callers and in-person speakers until the thirty (30) minute timeframe has been
	reached. Note that depending on your order in the calling queue, you may not be able
	to provide public input in the event there are also in-person speakers.
	• Callers who get into the calling queue between 3:45 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. will hear a brief
	message advising them to hold. OCPS staff will answer those calls on hold in the order
	received, take the caller's name and telephone number in case the call gets disconnected,
	and place the caller in the queue for the School Board meeting.
	• Callers who call in prior to 3:45 p.m. and/or after 4:00 p.m. will only hear the line
	ringing and the call will not be picked up. The window for callers to be added into
	the queue is only from 3:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
	Callers are asked to silence all electronic devices.
Public	For those members of the public who wish to attend in person, please fill out a public
Comment -	comment card located in the lobby outside of the School Board Chambers from 3:45 p.m.
In Person	to 4:00 p.m. and turn it in to the School Board Services representative prior to the start of
	the meeting at 4:00 p.m. Up to ten (10) public comment cards will be accepted and speakers
	will be taken in the order received alternating between callers and in-person speakers until
	the thirty (30) minute timeframe has been reached.
	• The public is required to wear a mask in order to enter into the Ronald Blocker
	Educational Leadership Center (RBELC). ¹
	By entering onto OCPS property, you affirm:
	1. That you do not have chills, a sore throat, cough or shortness of breath; AND

¹ On May 3, 2021, Chancellor of Education Jacob Oliva issued the following guidance regarding two of Governor DeSantis' recent executive orders regarding local government Covid-19 mandates, restrictions, and orders: "Questions have arisen over the impacts of the Executive Orders <u>EO-21-101</u>, which is not effective until July 1, 2021, and <u>EO-21-102</u>, which is effective immediately. To clarify, <u>EO-21-102</u> only impacts city and county governments, and does NOT impact school districts and individual schools. Moreover, <u>EO-21-101</u> and <u>EO-21-102</u> only impacts restrictive COVID-19 orders/ordinances that are adopted through emergency enactment. <u>Neither EO-21-101 nor EO-21-102 impact any school district's policies for the remainder of the 2020-21 school year.</u>" (Emphasis in original)

	2. That you do not currently feel ill.
	*If you cannot affirm either of the two statements above, and/or you have a temperature of
	100.4 or over, you <u>must</u> leave OCPS property immediately
Public	The public is reminded that all comments made telephonically or in person will be subject
Comment	to board policies regarding civility and length of communication and will be permitted for
Time Limit	up to three (3) minutes (the time limit for public comment that has already been established
Reminder	through School Board policy).



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING PROTOCOL

July 13, 2021 at 4:45 p.m.

Notice and	A School Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 13, 2021 at 4:45 p.m. for the purpose
Purpose:	of conducting regular business.
Livestreaming	The meeting will be live-streamed at the following link:
and Video	https://www.youtube.com/user/OCPSboardmeetings. A video recording of the meeting will
Recording	be replaced with a link to the edited, broadcast version of the meeting at a later date.
Public	The opportunity for the public to participate in the meeting to provide public comment on
Participation Participation	items on the agenda for the regular school board meeting shall be as follows:
Public	Members of the public who wish to provide public comment via email for the School Board's
Comment – Via	consideration at the regular school board meeting may send an email to
Email	publiccomment@ocps.net by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, July 12, 2021.
Ziiiwii	• For each email, the public is asked to provide their name, address, agenda item, and public
	comment so that OCPS staff can properly sort each public comment as it applies to each
	agenda item for discussion at the meeting.
	The emails that are received by that time will be compiled by OCPS staff and provided to
	each School Board member electronically and/or in hard copy for consideration by 10:00
	a.m. on Tuesday, July 13, 2021.
Public	For those members of the public who wish to address the School Board during the Public
Comment -	Comment Period, the telephone line number for such participation is (407) 250-6270.
Telephonically	• Callers may get into the calling queue from 4:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. and public comment
	will be taken as the School Board goes through the agenda.
	• Callers who get into the calling queue between 4:30 p.m. and 4:45 p.m. will hear a brief
	message advising them to hold. OCPS staff will answer those calls on hold in the order
	received, take the caller's name and telephone number in case the call gets disconnected,
	and place the caller in the queue for the School Board meeting.
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Comment -	comment card located in the lobby outside of the School Board Chambers from 4:30 p.m. to
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Comment Time	civility and length of communication and will be permitted for up to three (3) minutes (the
Limit Reminder	time limit for public comment that has already been established through School Board
	policy).
Minutes	All minutes will continue to be posted at <u>www.ocps.net</u> .