Public Comment Policy for Dynamic Minds Academy School Board Meetings

The Dynamic Minds Academy Board of Directors values and appreciates the input of parents, students, staff, and community members. Public comments play an essential role in ensuring that diverse perspectives are considered in the governance of our school. To facilitate a productive and respectful environment, the Board has established the following guidelines for public comments during Board meetings:

1. Time Allocation:

- Each speaker will have up to three (3) minutes to provide their comment.
- The total time allotted for public comments during any Board meeting will be thirty (30) minutes.
- If more individuals wish to speak than time allows, priority will be given to those who have not previously spoken at the meeting. Remaining individuals may submit written comments to the Board.

2. Content Guidelines:

- Comments must be factual and focus on school-related matters.
- Speakers are prohibited from including personally identifiable information about students, staff, or other community members to ensure privacy and compliance with applicable laws.
- Comments should be respectful and free from profanity, personal attacks, or inflammatory language.

3. Board Response:

- The Board will take all comments under advisement but will not respond or engage in dialogue during the meeting.
- The Board may direct the Chief Administrator to follow up on specific issues raised during public comments, as appropriate.

4. Submission of Comments:

- Individuals wishing to provide public comments are encouraged to sign up prior to the meeting. A sign-up sheet will be available at the meeting location or through an online form, as applicable.
- Written comments may also be submitted for consideration if time constraints prevent speaking during the meeting.

By adhering to these guidelines, we aim to create a fair and respectful forum for community input while ensuring that Board meetings remain focused and efficient. Thank you for your cooperation and engagement in the success of Dynamic Minds Academy.