

# Kimble issues to raise SKSD Board Mtg 12-15-21

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Hi Tim:

Thank you for your reminder that I need to send request to speak to the proper email to address the board.

It's been very unfortunate these past many years that prior boards could not recognize or accept how past (and current) public participation policies only serve to frustrate and reduce public participation. It almost seems that this is why these policies were adopted and still not abandoned, yet we continue to hear that increasing public trust, district transparency, and public participation are the District's primary goals. Why wouldn't the public feel that the board is hiding and afraid with these existing public participation/speaking policy limitations? And how does it reflect on the District and Board if 'others' not in the districts's geographical boundaries are not invited to be included, to speak, to share perhaps some of their experiences and opinions? How does this reflect on the open and inviting nature of our District?

I think there is an opportunity here and now to make some changes. My suggested changes might even instill more trust and thus passing of future levies and bonds might be easier no matter what lobbying is done in Oly to lower bond passage threshold.

Sincerely,  
Dave Kimble

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## **Requests for SKSD Board to consider at 12-15-21 board meeting**

- **Eliminate** current mandatory policies requiring meeting visitor(s) to identify one-self to address the board when they give public comments.
- **Eliminate** current stakeholder and/or any residency policies for visitors asking to speak at meetings.
- **Eliminate** any/all parts all of the pre-registration requirements policy to speak at meetings.
- **Utilize** and more freely employ the use of the raise hand feature of Zoom during public comment periods. This is the intention of the function.
- **Reinstitute** two public comment periods for both Zoom and for future in person meetings.

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P.S. My immediate family 'has no dog in this race' but my daughters adopted family does.

