



OPEN FORUM

Welcome to those who are here to address the board or listen during Open Forum. Open Forum provides a time for individuals to address the board. In an effort to ensure an orderly, efficient, effective and dignified meeting, Open Forum will be provided for up to 90 minutes. After 90 minutes, the Board will close Open Forum and will proceed with its agenda items for the evening. Whether you plan to speak or just listen, we're glad you are here because we care about the opinions and concerns of our patrons.

If you would like to address the board, complete a request form. If you have not completed a form to speak, please see the staff member at the greeting table just outside the board room. This person will help you and make sure we receive your request prior to the start of Open Forum. If you do not have an opportunity to address the Board during the meeting, you may address the Board by email communication.

I have a few reminders about Open Forum that will help our speakers to have a constructive and positive experience when discussing items with the board. When making remarks,

- Please be civil, and use respectful language.
- Please keep your face covering in place while you speak.
- Please limit discussion to the gating criteria as that is the relevant business of the Board tonight.
- Discussion of matters related to a specific student or employee is not allowed. Instead, comments should be submitted in writing to the Superintendent.
- We also ask that you limit your comments to three minutes and avoid repeating the concerns of a previous speaker.
- If you have questions that require a response, know that someone will follow-up with you at a later time.

On behalf of the Board, I welcome you and appreciate your interest in Blue Valley as we strive to provide the very best education possible to our students.

- When your name is called, please proceed to the podium and share with us your name and address, school your children attend and the name of any group or organization you are representing.