

SAN DIEGO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

~~Policies for the San Diego County Office of Education are determined by an elected County Board of Education and implemented by an appointed County Superintendent of Schools.~~

~~The San Diego County Board of Education establishes policies and goals to direct the many functions of the County Office of Education staff. Its members maintain a leadership role among school district trustees and represent the people of San Diego County by seeing that the County Office staff contribute to the quality of education in San Diego County.~~

~~Specifically, the County Board of Education appoints the County Superintendent of Schools, approves the County Office of Education budget, establishes policy, authorizes programs and services, serves as the County Committee on School District Organization, and hears district expulsion and interdistrict attendance appeals.~~

~~According to the San Diego County Charter, the five members of the County Board are elected by voters in districts of approximately equal population and serve four-year terms on a staggered basis. County Board meetings are generally held on the second Wednesday of each month beginning at 6 p.m. All meetings are open to the public except as provided for by state law, and regular meetings will be electronically recorded by the recording secretary. In accordance with the Brown Act, all public Board meeting electronic tapes are available for review for 12 months following the meetings, after which they are recycled. Please contact the Superintendent's Office (858) 292-3515 if you wish to schedule an appointment to review an electronic recording.~~

~~The County Superintendent, as chief administrative officer, employs a staff, assesses needs, and develops programs and services as required or authorized by state statutes or the County Board of Education.~~

~~The San Diego County Office of Education provides a variety of services for the 43 school districts and five community college districts in the county. In addition, the office provides regional services, such as migrant education coordination, for surrounding counties.~~

~~Services provided by the County Office to School Districts range from staff development for teachers to budget analysis for business managers. Regardless of what service is provided, the goal of the San Diego County Office of Education is to help schools provide the finest possible education for students.~~

~~PROCEDURE FOR ADDRESSING THE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION~~

~~1. For items on the Agenda~~

~~If you have indicated by giving your name and address to the County Board of Education President or Secretary prior to the meeting that you wish to address the County Board on an item that is on the agenda, you will be called on to speak during the agenda item.~~

~~2. For Items Not on the Agenda~~

~~The County Board of Education welcomes comments from the public on matters within Board jurisdiction during any regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board. Board meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month beginning at 6 p.m. Every agenda for the regular meetings shall provide an opportunity for members of the public to directly address the board on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. The Board shall not take action non such matter at the meeting. Presentations are limited to three minutes.~~