Medford School District 549C

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News Media Services at Board Meetings

The Board believes that one of the paramount responsibilities of a board of education is to keep the public informed of its policies, deliberations, actions, and problems. Therefore, the Board encourages the attendance of press representatives at all meetings. Press coverage of executive sessions shall be as limited by law.

A copy of the agenda and appropriate agenda materials may be sent in advance to members of the working press who request it. Additionally, all reports approved by the board shall be considered matters of official record, and shall be made available to the press.

In the event that representatives of the news media are unable to attend the meeting, they may be provided, upon request, a summary of important board actions.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 165.535 ORS 165.540 ORS 192.610 - 192.690

ORS 332.057

Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12213; 29 C.F.R. Part 1630 (2006); 28 C.F.R. Part 35 (2006). Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008.