

We Support Open Government & Are Committed to These Best Practices

- 1) We will post our meeting agendas and agenda documents online, at least 48 hours before our meetings occur.
- 2) We will post draft meeting minutes online, two weeks after our meetings.
- 3) We will allow citizens to speak at the beginning of our meetings regarding agenda items or non-agenda items, before we vote.
- 4) We support video recording of our meetings and posting the video online for the public to see. We are already recording and posting our meetings online or we are committed to making this happen as soon as possible.
- 5) We believe government meetings should be conducted in public for citizens to observe and we will only conduct executive sessions in accordance with the New York State Open Meetings Law. We understand that a motion to hold an executive session to discuss “litigation”, “personnel” or “collective bargaining” is not sufficient, as the Open Meetings Law requires motions to state more information when holding an executive session.
- 6) We support having our board members complete an Annual Financial Disclosure Form and posting the completed forms on our school website for the public to see (like state elected officials do).