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THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS SPECIAL WORK SESSION

The Board of Education of the City of St. Louis will hold a SPECIAL WORK SESSION on <u>Saturday</u>. <u>September 25, 2021</u>, at the Administrative Building at 801 N. 11th Street in Room 108. This open session meeting of the Board will start at 2:00 PM. This notice is posted in compliance with RSMO §610.020. The agenda is as follows:

OPEN SESSION

- 1 Call to Order
- 2 Roll Call
- 3 City-wide Plan for Schools (planning/discussion)
- 4 Motion to Adjourn

**The <u>Board of Education of the City of St. Louis</u> is pleased to announce that, starting Tuesday, July 13, we will begin our return to traditional board meetings, including a live audience and live Citizen's Comments. Meetings will be held at Central Office, 801 N. 11th Street, Room 108.

However, putting safety first, our live audience will be <u>limited to 20 (maximum 28 in the room)</u> to allow for appropriate social distancing. We will hold to these restrictions until we receive different directions from our health officials.

Out of respect for our Board Members and their mission to conduct District business, we will continue to enforce guidelines for Citizen's Comments, and they are as follows:

- 1. Citizens interested in making a comment will sign in at the podium between 6 6:30 PM prior to the Board Meeting.
- 2. Commenters may take an <u>available</u> seat in the room (<u>up to 20</u>).
- 3. Citizen's Comments will occur at the **end of each** Board Meeting (Information can always be submitted to the Board in writing).
- 4. Each commenter will have up to three minutes in which to address the Board.
- 5. Each commenter must remain respectful and <u>refrain from speaking derogatorily about any particular person</u> (Do not use names).
- 6. There will be 30 minutes allotted for <u>all comments</u>. If you were not called to speak, you may submit your information in writing or return to the next scheduled meeting with a priority number.
- 7. Only one person, individual or group, should speak to the <u>same point on any one topic</u>. (In other words, if your opinion has been stated, please do not repeat it.)

For your convenience, we will continue to <u>live stream Board Meetings</u> and post them to the website (slps.org/virtualboe). (Board Work Sessions are open to the public but will no longer be live-streamed).

Finally, please understand that members of the Board of Education of the City of St. Louis are volunteer officials who give up their time and talent to support students and teachers across the District. They all value input and are receptive and eager to hear from all stakeholders. At each opportunity, please bring your best through constructive comments, suggestions, and ideas.

Thank you, in advance, for your patience, understanding, and consideration.