



# OXNARD SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## Oxnard School District Encourages Remote, Online Public Participation For Oxnard School District's Board Meetings

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the Oxnard School District is committed to public input and participation in school district governance in a manner that is consistent with shelter in place guidance provided by public health officials. The District highly encourages remote, online participation in order to promote the safety and health of our community.

The Oxnard School District has taken the following steps to utilize technology to facilitate public participation during our upcoming board meetings in order to comply with public health guidance during the COVID-19 pandemic:

- 1. Watch the meeting live.** The Oxnard School District Board meeting will be live streamed on the District's website at [www.osdtv.oxnardsd.org](http://www.osdtv.oxnardsd.org) and will also be shown on the following cable TV channels: Charter Spectrum Cable- Channel 20 and Frontier communication – Channel 37
- 2. Public comment in advance.** We encourage members of the public to submit public comment in advance of the meeting. Public comment may be emailed to **[OSD\\_BoardMeetings@oxnardsd.org](mailto:OSD_BoardMeetings@oxnardsd.org)**. In addition, please feel free to bring your written comment to the District Office between 9:00 and 12:00 p.m., you can also drop off your written comment at the District Office mail box located outside the front office, until 4:00 p.m. before the meeting. Please identify if the public comment is for a non-agenda or agenda item. If your public comment is for an agenda item, please identify clearly the agenda item number and title in your email. Any written testimony for public comment submitted via email before 11:00 am the day of the meeting will be provided to the Board members electronically or in written format.  
All public comments received before the meeting will become part of the meeting archive.
- 3. Public comment during the meeting.** Members of the public can join the Zoom Meeting from a computer via Zoom at [ZOOM.OXNARDSD.ORG](https://zoom.us/j/111118), mobile device, tablet or by phone. The Zoom meeting information will be provided in every board meeting agenda. You can find the meeting information on the following webpage page <https://www.oxnardsd.org/Page/11118> as long as needed during the COVID-19 pandemic.

In order to facilitate effective remote participation for all, please remember a few courtesies of conference calls if you opt to use Zoom for the purpose of providing public comment:

- Please do not put the call on hold.
- Please do not have the television/website transmission of the meeting playing while you are speaking as you provide public comment. You must minimize background noise.

We ask that you please be patient as we adjust to these changes and implement these new modalities for connection and public engagement. We are committed to making our meetings as accessible as practicable during unprecedented times, but if you need additional accommodations or support for remote participation in advance of the meeting, please go to Monica Noriega at [mnoriega@oxnardsd.org](mailto:mnoriega@oxnardsd.org) or call 805-385-1501.