## COMMUNITY RELATIONS

## Media Relations

The Governing Board recognizes that the media significantly influences the public's understanding of school issues and can greatly assist the District in communicating with the community about school programs and issues.

The Board respects the public's right to information and recognizes that the media has a legitimate interest in the schools and a responsibility to provide the community with news.

The District shall not release information which is private or confidential as identified by law and Board policy or administrative regulation.

(cf. 1250 - Visitors/Outsiders) (cf. 1340 - Access to District Records) (cf. 5125 - Student Records)

Legal Reference:

Education Code

- 32210 Willful disturbance of public school or meeting
- 32211 Threatened disruption or interference with classes
- 35144 Special meetings
- 35145 Public meetings
- 35145.5 Agenda; public participation
- 35146 Closed sessions
- 35160 Authority of governing boards
- 35172 Promotional Activities

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