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OCTOBER 21, 2021 PUBLIC HEARING – ESA RULES

On October 21, 2021 at 12:00pm the Arizona State Board of Education (SBE) will hold a public hearing to collect public comments and recommendations on the proposed rules regarding the Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) Program:

The Public Hearing Agenda contains information regarding how to register and submit comments. The agenda is available on the SBE's ESA website:

<https://azsbe.az.gov/empowerment-scholarship-account-esa-program>

or,

<https://azsbe.az.gov/sites/default/files/media/09-28-2021%20ESA%20Public%20Hearing%20Notice%20and%20Agenda.pdf>

Public Hearing Procedures

- Members of the public will be called on individually in the order requests were submitted. Staff will also announce the next two (2) speakers so they may prepare. Please use the same name and phone number when registering and when accessing the virtual public hearing.
- Public comment is limited to three (3) minutes. Once three (3) minutes has expired, the speaker will be asked to conclude their remarks.
 - The amount of time to speak may be limited depending on the number of speakers registered.
- Please be respectful in your comments.
- The purpose of the public hearing is to provide the public with another opportunity to provide comments. Neither the Staff nor Board members will respond to the public comments.
- The public hearing will be recorded to allow Board members to review the recording later.

If there are any lingering questions about the difference between a feedback forum and a public hearing, please email esafeedback@azsbe.az.gov.

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