



Arizona State Board of Education

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July 13, 2020 Public Hearing – ESA Rules

On July 13, 2020 at 12:00 P.M. the Arizona State Board of Education will hold a public hearing to collect public comments on proposed rules regarding the Empowerment Scholarship Account Program: <https://azsbe.az.gov/empowerment-scholarship-account-esa-program>.

To provide a comment, you may either:

1. Submit a written comment to esafeedback@azsbe.az.gov; via fax to (602) 542-3046; via postal service to 1700 W Washington St, Executive Tower, Suite 300, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 (written comments will not be read into the record); or
2. Provide a verbal comment at the virtual public hearing on July 13th.

How to Provide a Verbal Comment

To provide a verbal comment at the virtual public hearing, please use the link below to register a Request to Speak. The Deadline to register is 5:00 P.M. on July 10, 2020:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_0e1vEvDPTj-a936f4cQ-1Q

By registering, you are submitting a Request to Speak and staff will call on you to speak. If you would only like to watch the proceedings, you may visit the Board's YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsNwAaD9tyciKskyp0R2e5A> or, if you don't have internet access but would like to follow along, call: US: +1 346 248 7799; Webinar ID: 880 0892 5765; Password: 555579.

If you do not have internet access and would like to provide comment, you may call (602) 542-5057 by 5:00 P.M. on July 10th to inform a member of staff that you want to submit a public comment by phone. Board staff will ask for your name and phone number and provide you with the call-in information. The name you use to register will be the name that staff uses to call when it is your time to speak and is required to submit a Request to Speak.

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 speakers so they can prepare. Again, this is why it is important to use the same name or phone number on this form and when accessing the virtual public hearing.
- Public comment is limited to three minutes. Once three minutes has expired, you will be asked to conclude your remarks.
- The amount of time to speak may be limited depending on the number of speakers.
- Please be respectful in your comments.
- This is the time to collect public comments; neither staff nor Board members will respond to public comments.

The public hearing will be livestreamed on the Board's YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsNwAaD9tyciKskyp0R2e5A>

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