SCOTLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION Bylaws of the Board

Public Statements

The Board recognizes that communication is a continuous two-way process. The Board believes that it is important to keep the public informed about educational programs, and, in turn, that the community should have the opportunity to provide its thoughts and feelings to the Board. Communication is a concurrent responsibility of the Board and the Superintendent of Schools. The Superintendent will work with members of the Board to conduct an active and comprehensive program throughout the school district and community for the prompt dissemination of information on decisions of the Board. Releases to the press and brief summaries of Board actions prepared for distribution to staff members and parents/guardians are regarded as appropriate means of meeting requirements of this bylaw. Only the Board Chairperson or the designated agents of the Board shall release press releases relative to Board action.

(cf. 1112 News Media Relationships) (cf. 1120 Board of Education Meetings)