

Public Comment Policy

Policy Statement

Pursuant to the requirements of the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, as amended, a person shall be permitted to address a meeting of the Van Buren District Library Board under rules established and recorded by the Library.

Regulations

1. Each speaker shall provide his or her name and residence at the time of his or her public comment.
 2. Each speaker shall be limited to three (3) minutes per meeting.
 3. Each speaker may speak only one time during each meeting and may not “split” the three minute time period.
 4. No speaker may “assign” his or her time to another person.
 5. Groups are encouraged to designate one or more individuals to speak on their behalf to avoid cumulative comments. However, there is no requirement to make such designation.
 6. These rules shall be recorded in the minutes and kept on file with the Library Board and Secretary.
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Approved: January 22, 2019
Van Buren District Library Board of Trustees