

Boise State Public Radio Open Meetings

Boise State Public Radio complies with Section 396(k)(4) of the Communications Act:

"Funds may not be distributed pursuant to this subsection to the Public Broadcasting Service or National Public Radio (or any successor organization), or to the licensee or permittee of any public broadcast station, unless the governing body of any such organization, any committee of such governing body, or any advisory body of any such organization, holds open meetings preceded by reasonable notice to the public. All persons shall be permitted to attend any meeting of the board, or of any such committee or body, and no person shall be required, as a condition to attendance at any such meeting, to register such person's name or to provide any other information. Nothing contained in this paragraph shall be construed to prevent any such board, committee, or body from holding closed sessions to consider matters relating to individual employees, proprietary information, litigation and other matters requiring the confidential advice of counsel, commercial or financial information obtained from a person on a privileged or confidential basis, or the purchase of property or services whenever the premature exposure of such purchase would compromise the business interests of any such organization. If any such meeting is closed pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph, the organization involved shall thereafter (within a reasonable period of time) make available to the public a written statement containing an explanation of the reasons for closing the meeting."

B. Section 397(5) of the Act provides that:

"The term 'meeting' means the deliberations of at least the number of members of a governing or advisory body, or any committee thereof, required to take action on behalf of such body or committee where such deliberations determine or result in the joint conduct or disposition of the governing or advisory body's business, or the committee's business, as the case may be, but only to the extent that such deliberations relate to public broadcasting."

Idaho State Board of Education

Meeting times are made available to the public on the Idaho State Board of Education <u>website</u>. Meeting dates and locations are posted at the beginning of each fiscal year.



Meeting materials can be found on the Idaho State Board of Education <u>website</u> or at Boise State Public Radio, located at 220 E. Parkcenter Blvd., Boise, ID 83706.

Community Advisory Board

Meetings are held on a quarterly basis; schedules and minutes are available on the Boise State Public Radio <u>website</u>.

- The station makes on-air announcements on at least three consecutive days once during each calendar quarter that explain the station's open meeting policy and provide information about how the public can obtain information regarding specific dates, times, and locations.
- Written documentation will be provided to the public in the event the meeting is closed to the public due to the sensitivity of the materials addressed. Advanced notice of closed meetings will be provided to the public.
- BSPR will advanced notice via email, letter, phone, or fax to any individuals who have specifically requested to be notified; and

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