

Public Comment Rules/Expectations:

During the public comment period, in order to allow the School Committee to complete the business of the committee outlined on the agenda, an individual will be limited to no more than 3 minutes per comment. The public will be limited to one comment per person, per meeting. The following general rules will apply and will be monitored by the chair who has the sole discretion to facilitate public comment.

1. *All speakers are asked to identify themselves (i.e. name and community of residence)*
2. *No complaints or allegations will be allowed in public concerning any student, staff member or any individual person connected to the school system.*
3. *Gossip, defamatory comments or abusive or vulgar language will not be permitted. Clapping or cheering will not be allowed unless students are presenting.*
4. *The chair has the final and exclusive authority to regulate the length or topic of public comments in the interest of allowing the School Committee to complete the agenda. Comments will be heard and considered. Generally, the Committee does not discuss or respond directly to public comments.*
5. *In the case of a large audience, speakers may be asked to sign up before the meeting.*

**GORHAM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
Regular Meeting
April 12, 2023
7:00 PM
Council Chambers**

AGENDA

- 1.0 Call to order
 - 1.1 Pledge of Allegiance
 - 1.2 Roll Call
 - 1.3 Approval of minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 8, Special Meetings of March 2, March 22 and Workshops of March 7, March 14, March 21 and April 4, 2023
- 2.0 Administrative Reports
 - 2.1 Principal/Director Administrative Reports: Comments & Questions
 - 2.2 Program Review: Presentation by Village School Civil Rights Team
 - 2.3 Program Review: Presentation by Winter Athletics Captains
- 3.0 Communications
 - 3.1 Public Comment
 - 3.2 Student SC members
 - 3.3 Superintendent
 - 3.4 School Committee
- 4.0 School Committee Standing and Special Committees
 - 4.1 Finance/Facilities
 - 4.2 Policy
 - 4.3 Personnel
 - 4.4 Vocational Education
 - 4.5 Ad hoc
 - Gorham Teaching & Learning
 - Anti-Racism, and Equity Committee
 - Dropout Committee
- 5.0 Unfinished Business
 - 5.1 2nd Reading of the following policies:

- Community Use of School Facilities and Grounds (KF)
- Instructional and Library Materials Selection (IJJ)

6.0 New Business

- 6.1 Action, as needed, on communications and reports
- 6.2 Consideration and action on the modular lease
- 6.3 Consideration and action on the modular building
- 6.4 Consideration and action on the proposed FY24 School Budget
- 6.5 1st Reading of the Public Concerns & Complaints policy (KE)
- 6.6 Executive session to consider a personnel matter pursuant to 1 M.R.S.A., Section 405(6)(A)

7.0 Adjournment