

Policy 203

Operation of the School Board - Governing Rules



HEARTLAND LAKES COMMUNITY SCHOOL EXISTS TO EMPOWER SCHOLARS TO:
BRAVELY LIVE THEIR TRUTH,
TO BECOME WISE STEWARDS OF THE LAND AND RESOURCES
AND TO IGNITE LASTING CURIOSITY THAT LEADS TO POSITIVE CHANGE IN THEIR SCHOOL, THEIR COMMUNITIES, AND THEMSELVES.

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I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to provide governing rules for the conduct of meetings of the Heartland Lakes Community School (HLCS) Board.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

An orderly School Board meeting allows its members to participate in discussion and decision of school district issues. Rules of order allow School Board members the opportunity to review school-related topics, discuss school business items, and bring matters to conclusion in a timely and consistent manner.

III. RULES OF ORDER

Rules of order for School Board meetings shall be as follows:

- A. Minnesota statutes where specified;
- B. Specific rules of order as provided by the school board consistent with Minnesota statutes; and
- C. *Robert's Rules of Order*, Revised (latest edition) where not inconsistent with A. and B., above.

Note: The applicability and enforceability of this policy 203 is limited to, and qualified by, Minnesota or Federal law that, at the time any such circumstance within the scope of the policy arise, may be contrary to some aspect or all of the policy.