

# Weakley County Board of Education



Monitoring:	Descriptor Term: <b>Appeals to the Board</b>	Descriptor Code: <b>1.404</b>	Issued Date: <b>5/3/2018</b>
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- 2 Any matter relating to the operation of the school system may be appealed to the Board.
- 3 However, the Board desires that all matters be settled at the lowest level of responsibility and
- 4 will not hear complaints or concerns which have not advanced through the proper administrative
- 5 procedure from the point of origin. If all steps of the administrative procedure have been pursued
- 6 and there is still a desire to appeal to the Board, the matter shall be referred in writing to the
- 7 office of the Director of Schools and the Board shall determine whether to hear the appeal.
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- 9 Individuals who wish to come before the board for consideration must be on the agenda.
- 10 Individuals will not be heard unless they make a written request five (5) business days before the
- 11 Board meeting. This policy can be waived by action of the Board.
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- 13 Remarks will be limited to five (5) minutes unless time is extended by the Board. The chairman
- 14 shall have the authority to terminate the remarks of any individual who is disruptive or does not
- 15 adhere to Board rules.<sup>1</sup>
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- 17 Individuals desiring additional information about any item on the agenda shall direct such
- 18 inquiries to the office of the Director of Schools.

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Legal Reference:

<sup>1</sup> TCA 39-17-306

Cross References:

1.400 School Board Meetings  
1.403 Agendas  
5.502 Complaints about School Personnel