

## Public Hearing Process

- 1) Welcome and Introduction – Superintendent Brandsoy, Board Chair Hanson
- 2) District presentation on reasons for building closure
- 3) Public Comment:
  - In person attendees wishing to speak:
    - Fill out name and city of residence on sign in sheet
    - Approach microphone when Board Chair calls your name, maintain social distance to others
    - May remove mask while speaking if desired (Microphone will be socially distanced from others)
  - Person attending via Zoom:
    - Send email to [joy.kosak@bold.k12.mn.us](mailto:joy.kosak@bold.k12.mn.us) up to 10 minutes prior to start of meeting (6:50)
      - Provide Name and City of residence
      - Clarify “name” that will be provided on Zoom screen if different than your name
    - Camera must be turned on and ‘on’ the speaker while providing comment
  - Time will be allowed for district constituents to address the school board in support or opposition to the topic of closing the Bird Island Elementary School.
  - Each person may have up to **five** minutes of time. A clock will be provided for tracking time and speaker will be not allowed to extend past the time limit.
  - No yielding of time to others.
  - This is a time of “listening” by the school board and not a discussion.
  - Speakers will alternate between in-person and Zoom.
  - School District is not responsible for technical difficulties of a Zoom speaker.
- 4) Board Discussion/Action to take place on Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> at the regularly scheduled Board Meeting.

Questions and topics that are presented before, during and/or after the hearing will be addressed, as complete as possible, at the October 26<sup>th</sup> School Board Meeting by the School Board and Administration.
- 5) Closing