

**Public Press, Radio and Television**

Recognizing that an open relationship should exist between school administrators who are charged with the responsibility of conducting public business, and the news media who have the responsibility of reporting the action of government to citizens, the Superintendent is authorized to provide to the members of the press information that is a matter of record and public information. Information released to the media shall be that which is public information as covered by statute. Information of a confidential nature as allowed under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) shall not be released. Official responses and press releases made by Board of Education members regarding board decisions must be cleared through the chairman of the board before such responses or releases are made.

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