

Welcome to the Idaho Falls Library Board meeting.

Regularly scheduled Board meetings are open to any member of the general public.

If communication aids, services, or other physical accommodations are needed to facilitate participation or access for this meeting, please contact Kim Rafferty at 208-612-8155 or ADA Coordinator Lisa Farris at 208-612-8323 not less than 48 hours prior to the meeting. They can help accommodate special needs.

Please be aware that the meeting agenda may differ at times because amendments to the agenda may be made by the Board during the meeting.

The Board encourages public input. The public is always welcome to contact their Trustees via e-mail or telephone, as listed on the Library website.

While general public comment is not required by Idaho law, the Board welcomes general public comment as part of the Library Board. General public comment will be allowed for up to 15 minutes on the agenda.

The Board is committed to an atmosphere that promotes equal opportunity.

All those who wish to address the Library Board during the public comment period are encouraged to adhere to the following guidelines.

Speakers are encouraged to:

1. Focus comments on matters within the purview of the Library Board.
2. Limit their comments to three (3) minutes or less.
3. Refrain from repeating information already presented in order to preserve time for others to speak. Large groups are encouraged to select one or two speakers to represent the voice of the whole group.
4. Practice civility and courtesy. The Board has the right and the responsibility to maintain order and decorum during the meeting. Time may be altered for those speakers whose comments are profane or disruptive in nature.
5. Refrain from comments on issues involving matters currently pending that require legal due process and pending Library personnel disciplinary matters.

Comments that pertain to activities or performance of individual City employees should be shared directly with the City's Human Resources Director (208-612-8248), the City's Legal Department (208-612-8178) or with the Office of the Mayor (208-612-8235).

Speakers should note that Library Board members typically do not engage in dialogue or questions with speakers during the public comment period.