

**DODGELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy Manual**

173

CLOSED SESSIONS

The School Board may meet in closed session only to discuss subject matter within the scope of state statutes. No discussions of any matter shall be held and no action taken of any kind, formal or informal, by the Board while in closed session except as specifically authorized by law.

Before the Board goes into closed session, the Board President shall announce to those present the nature of the business to be considered at the closed session and the specific exemption(s) under law by which the closed session is authorized.

The Board shall not convene an open session, subsequently recess into a closed session, and subsequently reconvene into an open session, within a twelve hour period unless public notice of such subsequent open session was given at the same time and in the manner as the public notice of the initial open meeting.

Public notice shall be given for all Board meetings, including closed sessions, in accordance with state law and Board policy.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 19.83 Wisconsin Statutes
 19.84
 19.85

CROSS REF: 172, Special Board Meetings

Approved: February, 1993
Revised (WASB): November 24, 2008