BP 2355 Decorum

References:

ORS 192.610 to 192.705
OAR 199-050-0050(7)

The following will be ruled out of order by the presiding officer.

- Disrupting, disturbing, or otherwise impeding the orderly conduct of the meeting.
- Physical violence or threats of physical violence directed towards any person or property.

In the event that any meeting is willfully interrupted by the actions of one or more persons so as to render the orderly conduct of the meeting unfeasible, the person(s) may be removed from the meeting room.

Speakers who engage in such conduct may be removed from the podium and denied the opportunity to speak to the Board of Education for the duration of the meeting.

Before removal, a warning and a request that the persons curtail the disruptive activity will be made by the Chair of the Board of Education. If the behavior continues, the persons may be removed by Chair, based on a finding that the person is violating this policy, and that such activity is intentional and has substantially impaired the conduct of the meeting.

If order cannot be restored by the removal in accordance with these rules of individuals who are threatening to disrupt the meeting, the may order the meeting room cleared and may continue in session if the public is allowed to view and hear the meeting by television in another room.

Adopted: