Rules for Public Comment Period

Mad River Township

Following the end of the formal portion of Mad River Township Trustee Meetings, there will be a Public Comment Period. In order to maintain a tone of civility and respect, all members of the public will be allowed to address the board during the Public Comment Period under the following conditions:

1. Members of the public will address their comments to the Chair, not other members of the Board or other citizens. Vulgar, offensive, threatening, or disparaging comments and personal attacks will not be permitted.
2. Any member of the public wishing to address the board must sign in (Name) prior to the beginning of the formal portion of the meeting (before 7:30.)
3. When the Chair determines that it is time for the public comment period, members of the public will be recognized by the Chair in the order in which they signed in.
4. Members of the public will address comments to the Chair only from the podium.
5. Members of the public will have one three (3) minute time period to speak during the public comment period at each meeting. There will be no questions or comments from the Chair or other Trustees during the public comment period. Notification will be given when thirty (30) seconds remain and again at the end of the three (3) minute period.

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