



CIF/CENTRAL COAST SECTION
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CCS OPEN MEETING POLICY

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All meetings conducted by Central Coast Section Committees, Boards or Conferences shall be open meetings except as noted below.

The public may attend as representatives of any group, organization and/or the press. The public will be allowed to address the members of any committee or board during the public communications portion of the meeting for a period of time not to exceed five consecutive minutes per individual and a cumulative total of 25 minutes per topic. The Board of Managers may be addressed on any topic. The public will also be allowed to speak for one consecutive minute per individual and a cumulative total of five minutes per agenda item when it is introduced. The Section President or his/her designee who is running the meeting has complete discretion over allowing the public to address the Board for longer periods of time during a Board of Managers or Executive Committee meeting.

EXCEPTION 1

The Chair of any Committee, Board or Conference may convene an Executive Session which shall exclude all persons except members of the body, or any other individual(s) whose presence is required for the purpose of a closed session as determined by the Board President or committee chair only when personnel and/or litigation matters are to be discussed.

EXCEPTION 2

Appellate hearings on eligibility matters shall be limited to appellants, their designees and members of the body.