

## **Open/Closed Meeting Policy**

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In order to encourage participation in the governance of the Association and provide transparency regarding policy making, members are invited to attend "open committee" meetings.

Unless there are reasons for confidentiality as determined by the committee chairman, many committee meetings of the Association are open to any member if space allows. Members should email the staff support preferably no later than twenty-four (24) hours before the scheduled meeting to reserve a place and to confirm that the desired meeting is open.

Members attending will have the opportunity to observe the meeting and may offer input when recognized by the committee chairman.

The following committee meetings are typically open:

- Affiliate Council
- Broker Involvement
- Budget & Finance
- Bylaws
- Community Partnerships

- Education/Professional Development
- Equal Opportunity/Cultural Diversity
- Leadership Development
- Governmental Affairs
- RPAC

For reasons of confidentiality, the following committees are closed:

- Board of Directors (GCAR and MLS)
- Grievance
- MLS Data Compliance
- Professional Standards Hearings

- Nominating
- REALTOR\* of the Year
- RPAC Trustees