

REA & RSD 2017 Negotiations Ground Rules – January 24, 2017

Ground Rules:

1. Meetings are open.
2. Independent News Releases - Joint releases only after TA's.
3. Meeting locations – open to the public meetings to be held in the library at Woodland Elementary School; meetings may also be held at OEA Office in Gresham when available or at another location agreed to by both parties.
4. Caucuses at any time – No Media.
5. Proposals are reduced to writing – blue paper for District proposals; Yellow paper for REA proposals.
6. Those present at bargaining sessions have the authority to enter into tentative agreements which shall be initialed and dated/time specific.
7. All TA's are contingent upon the entire agreement and then ratification by the Reynolds School Board and REA membership.
8. Timelines for the 150 days are to begin when both parties exchange written proposals and enter into discussion of those proposals.
9. Designate Articles to be discussed at the next session before close of the current session.
10. Laptops may be used during negotiations; all cell phones and other electronics are to be silenced and put away; emergency calls shall be taken away from the bargaining table and outside the room.

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