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## **Purpose**

The Board feels it is imperative that communication be maintained in both directions between district schools and local institutions, organizations and groups, such as industry, business, labor, charity and others that comprise the structure of the community.

## **Authority**

The Board has authority over the students in its care but shares that authority to a limited extent through the cooperative programs that take students into the community during part of their educational career. To make those experiences meaningful, the Board feels cooperation with the community is essential.

Any programs that develop from community cooperative efforts require Board approval prior to implementation.

## **Delegation of Responsibility**

The Superintendent or designee shall make presentations about the district to various community and civic groups.

In reviewing cooperative programs, the administration shall keep in mind that the schools shall:

1. Maintain an impartiality among all constituents who promote worthy causes.
2. Not be used to promote private or commercial interests.
3. Not be used for direct sales promotion of goods or services.
4. Not assign students to outside tasks that do not primarily benefit the students.

## **Guidelines**

### **Resource Persons/Speakers**

The Board welcomes talented individuals with skills, knowledge and experiences to share for the benefit of students.

Use of an outside individual or group as a classroom speaker shall require prior approval by the building principal.[1]

Legal

1. Policy 115, 118