

## **Community Relations**

### **Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies And The Schools**

The Board of Trustees recognizes that agencies at all levels of government share its concern and responsibility for the health, safety and welfare of youth. The Superintendent or designee shall endeavor to maintain good working relationships with representatives of these agencies in order to help district schools and students make use of the resources which governmental agencies can provide.

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 3515.2 - Disruptions)

(cf. 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan)

(cf. 5131.7 - Weapons and Dangerous Instruments)

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)

(cf. 5141.4 - Child Abuse Reporting Procedures)

(cf. 5145.11 - Questioning and Apprehension)

(cf. 5145.12 - Search and Seizure)

(cf. 7131 - Relations with Local Agencies)

The district may enter into agreements with other agencies which involve the exchange of funds or reciprocal services. Such agreements shall be approved by the Board and executed in writing.

#### **Elections/Voter Registration**

If a city or county elections official specifically requests the use of a school building as a polling place, the Board shall allow its use for such purpose. The Board may authorize the use of school buildings as polling places on any election day, and may also authorize the use of school buildings, without cost, for the storage of voting machines and other vote-tabulating devices. If school sessions will continue, the Board shall identify to elections officials the specific areas of the school buildings not occupied by school activities that will be allowed for use as polling places. (Elections Code 12283)

(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)

If a school is used as a polling place, the Superintendent or designee shall provide the elections official a site with an adequate amount of space that will allow the precinct board to perform its duties in a manner that will not impede, interfere or interrupt the normal process of voting, and shall make a telephone line for Internet access available for use by local elections officials if so requested. He/she shall make a reasonable effort to ensure that the site is accessible to disabled persons. (Elections Code 12283)

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Legal Reference:

**EDUCATION CODE**

- 10900-10914.5 Cooperative community recreation programs
- 12400 Authority to receive and expend federal funds
- 12405 Authority to participate in federal programs
- 17050 Joint use of library facilities
- 17051 Joint use of park and recreational facilities
- 32001 Fire alarms and drills
- 35160 Authority of governing boards
- 35161.1 Broad authority of school districts
- 48902 Notification of law enforcement agencies
- 48909 District attorney may give notice re student drug use, sale or possession
- 49305 Cooperation of police and California Highway Patrol
- 49402 Contracts with city, county or local health departments
- 49403 Cooperation in control of communicable disease and immunization
- 51202 Instruction in personal and public health and safety

**ELECTIONS CODE**

- 2145-2146 Distribution of voter registration forms
- 12283 Polling places: schools

**WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE**

- 828 Disclosure of information re minors by law enforcement agency
- 828.1 School district police department; disclosure of juvenile criminal records

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