



JOINT USE AND PLANNING AGREEMENTS

Background

Divisions and municipalities can more effectively and efficiently serve the public interest by co-operatively utilizing community and school facilities.

The Division supports joint use and planning of municipal and school facilities.

Procedures

1. The Division and municipalities will enter into, and periodically update, joint use and planning agreements .
2. Use of school facilities by community groups must be scheduled in a manner that does not negatively affect the schools curricular or extra-curricular programming.
3. A Joint Use and Planning Agreement shall outline the terms of reference for school use of municipal facilities and community use of school facilities. This agreement must also reference the planning, acquisition, and development of future school sites.
4. The Operating Committees will meet as needed to review the Joint Use and Planning Agreement to discuss related procedures and address emerging issues and concerns.
5. A trustee representative is responsible for reporting annually to the Board any business related to the Joint Use and Planning Agreements.

Reference: Section 33, 51, 52, 53, 68, 187, 197, 222 Education Act
Joint Use Agreement