



REVISION

Policy

It is the policy of the Two Rivers Supervisory Union School Districts to encourage the involvement of the community in its schools.

Implementation

An effective community outreach program is a necessary component of a school system's organization and operation. Therefore, the board will provide the means necessary to develop and implement such a program.

The school system's community outreach program should:

- 1. create a planned, systematic, two-way communications process between the Board and the school community;
2. encourage a better understanding of the objectives, accomplishments and needs of the school system within the community;
3. create opportunities for school involvement through volunteerism, business/organizational partnerships, sponsorships, internships and other joint projects;
4. use a variety of media including but not limited to meetings, letters and e-mail, circulars, web sites, seminars, publications, communications media, and personal contacts;
5. provide the channels necessary for resolving grievances and eliminating misunderstandings;
6. inform concerned persons as to their rights, privileges and responsibilities.
7. provide that, when circumstances warrant, the board will designate an administrator or board member to be the spokesperson for the board or district on a given topic or specific incident. Nothing shall limit a director from expressing an opinion, as long as it is clear that the director's opinion does not represent the opinion of the board.

The board directs the Superintendent or designee to develop a community relations program subject to board approval.

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