

## **COMMUNITY USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES**

(Equal Access)

The Board believes that the school facilities of this District should be made available for community purposes, provided that such use does not infringe on the original and necessary purpose of the property or interfere with the educational program of the schools and is harmonious with the purposes of this District.

Although the basic purpose of public school facilities is to provide the youth of the community a sound education program, the complete function of education is not achieved until the school facilities are made to serve the entire community. To accomplish this objective, the Board shall, upon payment of the prescribed fee and subject to the requirements of applicable regulations, permit the use of school facilities for auxiliary, educational, recreational, cultural, civic, social, religious or other Board-approved purposes.

Any school within the District receiving Title I funding must offer the same facilities access to Boy Scouts as to other organizations.

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LEGAL REFS.: The Elementary and Secondary Education Act; 20 USC 1221 et seq.  
Title VIII, Section 801  
ORC [3311.215](#)  
[3313.75](#); [3313.76](#); [3313.77](#); [3313.79](#)  
[4303.26](#)  
OAC [3301-35-02](#)

CROSS REFS.: [KGB](#), Public Conduct on District Property  
[KI](#), Public Solicitations in the Schools