Palmyra Area School District

SECTION: COMMUNITY

TITLE: COMMUNITY RELATIONS

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1. Purpose

The Board of Education feels it imperative that communication be maintained in both directions between the public schools of the district and such local institutions, organizations and groups as industry, business, labor, charity and other special interests which make up the structure of the community.

2. Authority

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

3. Responsibility

The Board authorizes the establishment of a community liaison committee of staff members and community representatives to identify community resources, services and needs for such purposes as:

vocational training programs

charitable institutional assistance

field trip possibilities

special lectures for in-school programs

industrial and business assistance programs.

In reviewing these matters, the administration shall keep in mind that the schools

shall maintain an impartiality among all constituents of the community who promote worthy causes

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	shall not be used to promote private or commercial interests
	shall not be used for direct sales promotion of goods or services
	shall not assign pupils to outside tasks which do not benefit the pupil primarily.
School Code 1808	
PA Code Title 22 Sec. 5.152, 6.23	
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