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Relations with Community

Community Agencies

The High Desert ESD (ESD) Board intends to establish reasonable cooperation with community agencies, including both (1) educational or semi-educational agencies like parent-teacher associations, Boy Scouts, etc., and (2) special orientation groups like Senior Citizens, Chamber of Commerce, etc.

ESD staff members and ESD facilities shall not be used for advertising or promoting the interests of any non-school agency or organization, public or private, without the approval of the Board and any such approval granted for whatever cause or group shall not be construed as an endorsement of said cause or group by the ESD.

Committees and Volunteers

The Board may appoint citizen committees when appropriate. The work of these committees shall be carefully described, the staff support identified, financial and other resources provided, if required, and a time set for completion and reporting. The committees will be advisory in nature and function.

No employee may be asked to engage in a political activity as defined by Oregon Revised Statutes during working hours.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 260.432](#)
[ORS 329.150](#)

[ORS 334.125 \(7\)](#)