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Relations with State and Local Agencies

To enhance the safety and security of students, staff and community, a cooperative and proactive effort shall be maintained between the officials of the school district and state and local agencies.

The Board shall cooperate and to the extent possible develop written agreements with law enforcement, the juvenile justice system and social services, as allowed under state and federal law, to keep each school environment safe. The Board authorizes the Superintendent to carry out this cooperative and proactive effort by pursuing the following primary objectives:

1. Development and periodic review of crisis prevention and management plans and safe school plans.

2. Assessment of district and building security, safety, and violence prevention policies and procedures.

3. Development of guidelines for how and when to contact state and local agencies and what support the district shall provide to aid in the effectiveness of the state and local agency.

4. Development of an agreement with local law enforcement to implement a school resource officer program. Subject to prior Board review while maintaining the confidentiality of security arrangements, this agreement may define the specific conditions pursuant to which law enforcement firearms may be safely stored on District property.

5. Protection of the civil rights of all individuals.

LEGAL REF.:   C.R.S. 22-32-109.1 (3) *(agreements with state agencies)*
               C.R.S. 24-6-402(4)(d) *(local public body may discussion security arrangements in executive session)*
               C.R.S. 24-72-204(2)(a)(VIII) *(records custodian may deny inspection of security arrangements)*

CROSS REFS.: ECA/ECAB, Security/Access to Buildings
             GBGAA*, Staff Training in Crisis Prevention and Management
             JIH, Student Interrogations, Searches and Arrests

KDE, Crisis Management (Safety, Readiness and Incident Management Planning)