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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

The School Committee, as an agent of the state, must operate within the bounds of the state and federal law affecting public education. If the Committee is to meet its responsibilities to the residents and students of the community, it must work vigorously for the passage of new laws designed to advance the cause of good schools and for the repeal or modification of existing laws that impede this cause. To this end:

- 1. The Committee may develop an annual legislative program.
- 2. When appropriate, the Committee will work for the achievement of common legislative objectives through the state and national school boards associations and with other concerned groups.
- 3. The Committee will also seek both direct and indirect representation of its position on pending legislation with appropriate state and federal legislators and legislative committees.

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LEGAL REFS.: BRISTOL/WARREN Enabling Legislation

CROSS REF.: BHBA, School committee Conferences, Conventions, and Workshops