

POLICY RELATING TO SUPPORT OPERATIONS

NON-DISTRICT USE OF FACILITIES

The Wachusett Regional School District shall make available the facilities of the school district for educational, recreational, and civic purposes to recognized, responsible non-profit organizations within the District: (a) if the proposed activity does not interfere with the school program, (b) if the activity is in keeping with the purpose and compatible with the facilities of the school, or in special cases, if it is deemed by the administration to be in the best interest of the communities comprising the Wachusett Regional School District.

The Principal will enforce regulations and published rental charges for use of the building and grounds. All applications for use of school property should be made through the Principal and all payments made in advance.

District governmental agencies and non-profit organizations within the District will not be required to pay rental charges for non-fund-raising events for which no admission is charged nor any contribution collected. However, such organizations will be responsible for custodial, cafeteria, police, and any related services and shall make these payments in advance.

School activities have first choice on reservations up to two (2) months prior to the event.

This policy refers to new or existing buildings not covered by Paragraph 17.3 of the Regional Agreement, which states that the policies governing use of school property in effect in each of the town schools at the time the District was expanded to Pre-K through twelve (12) shall remain in effect for those schools.

Copies of the facilities policies for each of the town schools, which were in effect at the time of regional expansion, will be on file with and available from the administration.

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