

1080 A District Facility Public Information Displays

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I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this regulation is to establish the circumstances under which non-district sources may display publications for public use in non-school building District facilities.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF REGULATION

- A. Permission to display materials must be obtained before leaving any materials on District grounds.
- B. Materials shall be displayed in provider sponsored display stands or in locations approved by the Superintendent, or by the Superintendent's designee.
- C. Materials shall be removed by the agents of the sponsoring organization or person when the material displayed is no longer current.
- D. The District retains the right to remove any materials deemed by the District to be obsolete based on the date of publication of the materials.
- E. The District makes no guarantees that the materials or material location will be available for any specific dates or hours.
- F. In no event shall sponsors of publications displace District sponsored materials or publications to place their own material.
- G. The following restrictions shall be placed on what materials may be approved for display in District facilities that do not contain schools:
 - 1. Materials must be of general interest to families of students in the Minneapolis Public Schools;
 - 2. Materials may not advocate violence or illegal activity.
 - 3. Materials may not have as their primary purpose the promotion or opposition to a ballot measure or campaign for or against an election candidate;
 - 4. Materials may not have as their primary purpose the advertisement for a business, commercial product or service.
 - 5. The publisher of the materials must be clearly identified.
 - 6. Designation that the materials offered are not sponsored or endorsed by Minneapolis Public Schools must be made either by the individual publication, or may, in the Superintendent's discretion, be identified as non-district sponsored or endorsed materials by appropriate signage in the location where the materials are displayed.

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7. Materials may not advertise non-district sponsored or authorized K-12 education programs that occur during the regularly scheduled student school day;

III. RESPONSIBILITY

The Superintendent designates the Communications and Public Relations Department as its designee for any and all purposes under this regulation and Policy 1080.

Legal References:

Minn. Stat. §123B.02 (General Powers of Independent School Districts)
Minn. Stat. §128D.02 ([Special School District No. 1] Board of Education like Independent District's)

Cross References:

MPS Policy 1060 (Flyer Distribution) MPS Policy 1070 (Poster Display)

MPS Policy 1080 (Public Information Display)

MPS Policy 1100 (Advertising in the Schools)

MPS Policy 1580 (Soliciting, Peddling and Canvassing on School Grounds)

MPS Regulation 1080 B (School Building Public Information Displays)