

SITE SELECTION

The Board of Education, in accordance with the powers vested through state statutes (RSA 199:2), has the authority to select school sites. To assist with this process, the Finance & Operations Committee of the Board shall have the responsibility to review sites and to make a recommendation to the Board.

In assessing school sites, the Board and the Finance & Operations Committee will review demographic data, standards, and other relevant criteria and attempt to make decisions based on both short-term and long-range needs. Information may be solicited from a variety of persons and sources including, but not limited to, the Superintendent of Schools and the administrative staff, architects and engineers, consultants, and personnel from the all affected City Departments. School Site Standards outlined by the New Hampshire Department of Education will also be considered during the site selection process.

Legal References:

RSA 199:2, Location in Cities

***Legal References Disclaimer:** These references are not intended to be considered part of this policy, nor should they be taken as a comprehensive statement of the legal basis for the Board to enact this policy, nor as a complete recitation of related legal authority. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.*

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