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School Lunch Programs

The school lunch program is an important component of the services provided to students by the Division. The Board believes that the Local School Board Committees should play an integral role in the liaison with the School Lunch Program Associations. The Board also recognizes that the administration of the lunch program is a difficult and complex task and has established the following conditions under which it will operate.

Specifically

1. The Board may enter into a contract with a Local School Lunch Program Association, which will be a non-profit community based association, to operate the lunch program in a community.
2. The Local School Board Committee is able to determine the overall policy under which the Local School Lunch Program Association will operate within the school facility. Such a policy shall be consistent with the policies of the Board.
3. The Board may enter into a contract with a Local School Board Committee to operate the Local School Lunch Program should the Committee make such a request to the Board. The Local School Board Committee will be subject to the same terms and conditions as is the case with the School Lunch Program Association.
4. The School Lunch Program will be operated in accordance with the requirements and procedures specified in the School Lunch Procedures Handbook that has been prepared to guide and administer the Program throughout the Division.

Legal Reference: Section 61, School Act – RSA 2000