



**Policy: 10.04**

**SUBJECT: PUBLIC CONDUCT ON SCHOOL PROPERTY**

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## **1.0 Policy**

*Note: Various state laws and ordinances of the City of Detroit protect school children and the schools from harm and disturbances. Some of the ordinances are presented in the document that follows. Guidelines for enforcement of the ordinance prohibiting unauthorized persons in school buildings are included with policies on school Visitors, code KK.*

### **Disorderly Conduct at Meetings**

The law states:

If a person conducts himself or herself in a disorderly manner at a board of education meeting or a school district meeting and, after notice from the officer presiding, persists therein, the presiding officer may order the disorderly person to withdraw from the meeting, and on the person's refusal may order a law enforcement officer or other person to take the disorderly person into custody until the meeting is adjourned.

A person who refuses to withdraw from the meeting on being so ordered, or a person who willfully disturbs a school district meeting by rude and indecent behavior, by profane or indecent discourse, or in other ways makes a disturbance, is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not less than \$2.00 or more than \$100.00, or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or both.

**Attachments to Policy 10.04:** None

**See also:** None

**Legal References:** MCLA § 380.1808

**Labor Contract References:** None