Facility Utilization

Polling Places

The buildings of the Racine Unified School District are property of the community. As such, they are available for use as a polling place. However, the buildings must be first available as school buildings for educational purposes and if the use as a polling place interferes with the operation of the building for educational purposes, the request to host a polling place will be denied. Factors to consider are: the site location of the polling place must be in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes 5.25; 5.35; and 5.37(5); the site location must not endanger the safety of students attending the school, (consideration for safety include the ability to segregate the students from the public using the polling place and the traffic concerns that may endanger students while engaged in outside activities such as recess or gym); the site must be able to make temporary adjustments to make room for the polling place; and the site must be able to accommodate the space requirements of the polling place, including parking.

Legal Reference: 5.25, 5.35, 5.37(5)

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