

1 **Charlo School District**

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3 **COMMUNITY RELATIONS**

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5 Cooperative Programs with Other Districts and Public Agencies

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7 Whenever it appears to the economic, administrative, and/or educational advantage of the  
8 District to participate in cooperative programs with other units of local government, the  
9 Superintendent will prepare and present for Board consideration an analysis of each cooperative  
10 proposal.

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12 When formal cooperative agreements are developed, such agreements shall comply with  
13 requirements of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, with assurances that all parties to the agreement  
14 have legal authority to engage in the activities contemplated by the agreement.

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16 The District may enter into interlocal agreements with a unit of the Montana University System,  
17 public community college, and/or tribal college, which would allow students enrolled in the 11<sup>th</sup>  
18 and 12<sup>th</sup> grades to attend and earn credit for classes not available in the District. Tuition and  
19 fees, if assessed, will be provided for in the interlocal agreement.

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21 The District may enter into an interlocal agreement providing for the sharing of teachers,  
22 specialists, superintendents, or other professional persons licensed under Title 37, MCA. If the  
23 District shares a teacher or specialist with another district(s), the District's share of such  
24 teacher's or specialist's compensation will be based on the total number of instructional hours  
25 expended by the teacher or the specialist in the District.

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29 Legal Reference: §§ 7-11-101, et seq., MCA Interlocal Cooperation Act  
30 §§ 20-7-451 through 456, MCA Authorization to create full service  
31 education cooperatives  
32 §§ 20-7-801, et seq., MCA Public recreation  
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