

ADMINISTRATION **2000**

ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL POSITIONS 2200

LEGAL COUNSEL 2202

The hiring of legal counsel is strictly a School Committee function and will be done by majority vote of the School Committee. Legal counsel will provide immediate legal advice to the School Committee and/or the superintendent at the School Committee's direction regarding the legal issues that may arise in the day-to-day operation of a school system, including, but not limited to:

- Personnel
- Policy
- State/Federal Guidelines and Mandates
- Contracts
- Grievances/Settlements
- Court/Arbitration Actions

Legal counsel will represent the School Committee in teacher negotiations, as well as other units upon request. All legal communications are expected to be timely.

The length, composition and other particulars of the contract between legal counsel and the School Committee will be reviewed and negotiated annually, unless otherwise decided by the School Committee.

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