

IFCA. SITE COUNCIL/SHARED DECISION MAKING

Composition

A Site Council is defined as a body composed of teachers, classified employees, administrators, parents of students, and others as determined by the schools' site council.

The site administrator will initiate the process and determine the original number of members on the council, following all legal requirements. (ORS 329.704)

Function

Each Site Council shall operate within the parameters of Bethel Board of Education Policy Statement IFCA. This policy states that the purpose of the Site Council is to improve student performance, increase school community satisfaction, and make efficient use of resources. In addition, each school's council will enhance communication by:

1. developing sound proposals and establishing optimum communication links (see Site Council Communication Flow Chart);
2. distributing a list of council members and officers to the chair of each school council and the superintendent;
3. distributing minutes of meetings to its staff, the chair of each school council, and the superintendent; and,
4. conducting an annual self-evaluation.

BETHEL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**SITE COUNCIL
 COMMUNICATION
 FLOW CHART**

