

RIOT AND/OR CIVIL COMMOTION CONTROL SYSTEM

DATES (Adopted/Revised)	GUIDE WORDS
Adopted October, 1977	Civil Commotion Disturbance Control Riot

In the event it becomes necessary to deal with riot or civil commotion at any of the schools in School District No. 25, the following control system will be employed:

1. Faculty members will be appointed from a volunteer group by the principal of the school at the beginning of each school year to serve as a Riot/Civil Commotion Control Committee.
2. Should a riot or civil commotion occur
 - a. The principal and vice-principal will move directly onto the scene.
 - b. The dean of students or other person assigned by the principal will contact the police immediately and request back up from the local police department.
 - c. The dean of students or other person designated by the principal will notify the appropriate Director of Education of the riot/civil commotion immediately following notification of the police department.
 - d. The principal or his/her designee will confer with the policemen and request that they stand by as back up to be brought into action as deemed necessary.
 - e. The principal or his/her designee will mediate with the students/persons involved in the riot/civil commotion. The Riot/Civil Commotion Control Committee will move among the students/persons involved and talk to students/persons with whom they are acquainted in an effort to alleviate the tensions.
 - f. Policemen will be called into action only if and when they are needed, as determined by the principal or his/her designee. Policemen would be expected to intervene immediately in the event of violence.
 - g. Students involved in the riot/civil commotion will receive appropriate disciplinary action as determined by the principal following due process.
 - h. Parents of students involved in the riot/civil commotion will be required to attend a conference with the principal and other school personnel selected by the principal to discuss the incident, the student's involvement and determine action to be taken.
 - i. Students who are involved in a riot/civil commotion and are arrested by the police will be subject to legal action as determined by the courts.
 - j. Persons involved in a riot/civil commotion who are not students will fall under the jurisdiction of the local police authorities.