

**LUZERNE
INTERMEDIATE
UNIT #18**

**SECTION: COMMUNITY
TITLE: CITIZENS ADVISORY
COMMITTEES
ADOPTED: NOVEMBER 20, 2002
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905. Citizen Advisory Committees	
1. Purpose	Citizen advisory committees can be useful in keeping the Board and administration informed with regard to community opinion and in representing the participating school districts in the study of specific program issues.
2. Authority	<p>In creating an advisory committee, the Board shall define the committee assignment and shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Appoint residents who are interested and can make some special contribution to the committee's function.2. Seek the widest range of community interest and backgrounds.3. Approve appointments of staff members and/or students to the committee made by the Executive Director.4. Appoint a chairperson. <p>In charging a new advisory committee, the Board shall set a date for a preliminary and final report.</p> <p>Recommendations of advisory committees shall not reduce the responsibility of the Board, which shall be free to accept or reject the recommendations.</p> <p>Meetings of an advisory committee are not regular meetings of the Board and shall be open to the public only upon invitation of the committee.</p>