

USE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Telecommunication services and equipment (including telephones, cellular telephones, 2-way radios, fax machines and pagers) are provided and shall be used only for official school district purposes, including educational, community-related and/or professional-related uses in furtherance of the mission and goals of USD 501 as determined by the Board of Education and within the limits of applicable Board policies and Administrative Regulations and applicable local, state and federal laws.

The Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee may require certain staff to carry cellular telephones and/or pagers while on duty. The District Business Office may, at any time, check assigned staff members' district-owned cellular device and review monthly bills in order to monitor appropriate use. Use of district-owned telecommunications equipment or services for personal business is not appropriate, except on an infrequent or emergency basis.