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City of Emeryville and the Emery Unified School District
City/Schools Committee Policy # 1700
Partnerships¹

The City Council of the City of Emeryville and the Board of Trustees of the Emery Unified School District, who together comprise the City/Schools Committee, are committed to optimizing broad community resources matters in order to best serve the students, families, adults, and seniors of the Emeryville community.

Accordingly, the City/Schools Committee (or their designees) shall:

- Engage in on-going collaborative strategic planning and integrated program development, wherever feasible and productive to each organization involved.
- Provide the staff time, resources, and focus to carry out the inter-agency programs and initiatives that it approves, including the work toward accomplishing the Center of Community Life.
- Encourage representatives of private industry and local community-based organizations to be active community participants
- Develop comprehensive assessment and evaluative protocols to both benchmark and periodically assess the progress and effectiveness of the partnership strategies that are being employed.

Adopted by the City/Schools Committee on _____.

¹ People connect in partnerships that increase individual strengths. (PCL Guiding Principle)