

Amendment No. 321

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 70	(BDR 34-842)
Proposed by: Committee on Education	
Amendment Box:	
Resolves Conflicts with: N/A	
Amends: Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

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Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sections 1 and 2 and adding new sections designated sections 1 and 2, following the enacting clause, to read as follows:

“**Section 1.** NRS 393.0717 is hereby amended to read as follows:

393.0717 1. The board of trustees of ~~the~~ *each* school district shall ~~make~~ *prescribe* all necessary regulations for the use of school buildings and grounds for civic meetings and recreational activities, and for the aid, assistance and encouragement of recreational activities ~~[-~~

—2. ~~The~~ *in furtherance of the provisions of NRS 393.071 to 393.0719, inclusive.*

2. *Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, the* use of any school buildings or grounds for any meeting or recreational activity is subject to such reasonable regulations as the board of trustees prescribes.

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A.B. No. 70—Exempts certain nonprofit educational organizations from charges associated with use of school property.

3. The board of trustees of a school district that is located in a county whose population is 400,000 or more shall adopt regulations that:

(a) Establish a policy for granting the use of school buildings, grounds and equipment without charge to organizations that meet the requirements of subsection 4 of NRS 372.3261; and

(b) Establish a policy that outdoor school grounds and recreational areas, including, without limitation, playgrounds and sports fields, are available for use by the general public during times that are not regular school hours.

Sec. 2. On or before March 31, 2006, the board of trustees of a school district that is located in a county whose population is 400,000 or more shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions of subsection 3 of section 1 of this act.”.

Amend the title of the bill to read as follows:

“AN ACT relating to school property; requiring the boards of trustees of certain larger school districts to adopt regulations exempting certain nonprofit educational organizations from charges associated with the use of school property and allowing the use by the general public of outdoor school grounds; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.”.

Amend the summary of the bill to read as follows:

“SUMMARY—Requires boards of trustees of certain school districts to establish policies governing use of school property without charge. (BDR 34-842)”.

**If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative
Counsel's Digest will be changed to read as follows:**

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Under existing law, the board of trustees of a school district may allow the use of school buildings and grounds by the general public. (NRS 393.071-393.0719) With the exception of the use of school libraries by the general public, a school district may impose a charge for the use and may request reimbursement from the person or entity authorized to use the school buildings or grounds for the expenses associated with that use, including lighting, heating and janitorial expenses. (NRS 393.0719)

This bill requires the board of trustees of a school district located in a county whose population is 400,000 or more (currently Clark County) to adopt regulations establishing policies to exempt certain nonprofit educational groups from charges associated with the use of school buildings and grounds and to allow the use by the general public of the outdoor school grounds.