LEGAL STATUS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Nebraska law authorizes the creation of public schools known as Common Schools System. As part of this Common Schools System, this school district is a school corporation created and organized under Nebraska law. This school district is established as "The School District of Heartland in the Counties of York, Hamilton, and Fillmore, in the State of Nebraska" shall be generally known as the Heartland Community School District. The school district, as a body corporate, possesses all the usual powers of a corporation for public purposes.

The central office of the school corporation is located in York County, and its affairs are conducted by elected school officials, known as the Heartland Community School District Board of Education. This school corporation has local control over school matters in the territory of the school district, as outlined by the applicable state statutes.

Legal Reference:	Neb. Constitution, Art. VII, Sect. 1, 2 Neb. Statute 79-405	
	79-501 et seq. Languis v. Deboer, 181 Neb 36 (1966)	
Cross Reference:	201.01 Board Powers and Responsibilities	

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