

## SCHOOL DISTRICT FACILITY USE FEE SURVEY 1/7/2019

A total of 14 municipal park and recreation departments were asked the following questions.

Do you currently pay school facility use fees?

What is the annual financial impact to your department?

12 of the 14 departments responded at the time of the Village Board Meeting

**Grafton** - Yes, department pays \$8,500 per year for use of school facilities

**Cedarburg** - Yes, department pays approximately \$25,000 annually. Park/Rec same fee category as club sports

**West Bend** - Do not have a signed formal document. Pay no fees, city has reciprocal agreement with school district.

**Hartford** - PR pays no rental fees and SD is not paying a rental fee for city park facilities. Recreation Center has greatly reduced need to use school facilities. School custodial fees are paid in the rare instance that programs take place outside of normal hours.

**Sussex** - Only use schools on rare occasions. Programs can be held in Village Civic Center where they have a small 1/2 size gym/multi-purpose area for exercise/fitness classes. Don't have pool, and don't use school gyms for basketball. They do charge school district for use of diamonds and tennis courts.

**Muskego** - Yes, department pays approximately \$4,000 per year for use of school facilities. For years they paid up to \$18,000/year for use of both indoor and outdoor facilities, but after helping the SD with improvements to school tennis courts and ball diamonds the agreement changed.

**Slinger** - Have not responded.

**Brookfield** - Yes, department pays for school use namely gyms and pool. The annual costs total approximately \$18,000 (\$13,000 for youth basketball and approximately \$5,000 for pool use).

**Brown Deer** - Have not responded.

**Greenfield** - Both the Greenfield & Whitnall School Districts do not charge fees for park and recreation use. In turn Greenfield does not charge either school district for use of park ball diamonds, shelters, and community meeting rooms.

**Oak Creek** - No, the department is not paying school facility fees. Used to charge each other, but found it didn't make sense for either party.

**Oconomowoc** - The department does not pay facility use fees. In 2017, a shared use agreement was approved which outlines the services both parties provide. Charges now only occur for overtime.

**Port Washington** - No facility use fee is charged for schools. Park & Rec only pays custodial fees if programs take place outside of normal hours.

**Waukesha** - After several years of a handshake agreement, WPR and the School District are in the process of developing a Memorandum of Understanding. The MOU indicates that neither party will charge the other for facilities and services provided. The MOU includes such items as equipment sharing/use, shared mowing and snow removal operations.

