

Iowa Code §274.3 Exercise of powers — construction.

1. The board of directors of a school district shall operate, control, and supervise all public schools located within its district boundaries and may exercise any broad and implied power, not inconsistent with the laws of the general assembly and administrative rules adopted by state agencies pursuant thereto, related to the operation, control, and supervision of those public schools.

2. Notwithstanding subsection 1, the board of directors of **a school district shall not have power to do any of the following:**

. . . c. **Adopt or enforce a policy that would unreasonably interfere with the duties and responsibilities of a local,** state, or federal law enforcement agency.

4. **If the power or authority of a school district conflicts with the power and authority of a municipal corporation, county, or joint county-municipal corporation government, the power and authority exercised by a municipal corporation, county, or joint county-municipal corporation government shall prevail within its jurisdiction.**

Iowa Code §364.1 Scope.

A city may, except as expressly limited by the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and if not inconsistent with the laws of the general assembly, exercise any power and perform any function it deems appropriate to protect and preserve the rights, privileges, and property of the city or of its residents, and to **preserve and improve the peace, safety, health, welfare, comfort, and convenience of its residents. This grant of home rule powers does not include the power to enact private or civil law governing civil relationships,** except as incident to an exercise of an independent city power.

Iowa Code §364.3 Limitation of powers.

The following are limitations upon the powers of a city:

1. **A city council shall exercise a power only by the passage of a motion, a resolution, an amendment, or an ordinance.**

Iowa Code §331.756 Duties of the county attorney.

The county attorney shall:

1. Diligently enforce or cause to be enforced in the county, state laws and county ordinances, violations of which may be commenced or prosecuted in the name of the state, county, or as county attorney, except as otherwise provided.