

NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

Risk Management

The board believes the district must identify and measure risks of loss due to the damage or destruction of district property, dishonest acts of employees, or to claims against the district by others claiming to have been harmed by the action or inaction of the district, its officers or employees.

A risk management program shall be implemented to reduce or eliminate risks where possible, to determine which risks the district can afford to assume and to transfer to an insurance company those risks which the district does not wish to assume or cannot economically afford to assume. Such a program shall consider the benefits, if any, of joining with other units of local government for the joint purchasing of insurance, joint self-insuring or the joint employment of a risk manager. The superintendent or designee shall assume the primary responsibility for the administration and supervision of the risk management program. The board or its designee shall review the status of the risk management program each year.

Legal Reference:	RCW	28A.400.350	Liability, Life, Health & Other Insurance Authorized
		28A.400.360	Liability Insurance for Officials & Employees
		28A.400.370	Mandatory Insurance Protection for Employees
		28A.320.100	Actions Against Officer, Etc.--Defense, Costs, Fees
		28A.320.060	Officers, Employees or Agents of School Districts to Protect & Hold Harmless

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