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	Personnel	

Subject: Indemnification and Legal Defense

The Board of Education of the Williamson Central School District wishes to protect the District, the members of the Board of Education and any school district officers in actions brought against them or in any action or proceeding touching any district property or involving its rights or interests.

The Board of Education of the Williamson Central School District also wishes to protect its superintendent, principals, members of the supervisory staff, members of a committee on special education or subcommittee thereof, and any member of the Board of Education in any action or proceeding, other than a criminal prosecution or an action or proceeding brought against him/her by the District, including proceedings before the Commissioner of Education, arising out of the exercise of his/her powers or the performance of his/her duties.

Furthermore, the Board of Education of the Williamson Central School District wishes to protect any school district officers whether or not compensated, in any civil action or proceeding, state or federal, arising out of any alleged act or omission which occurred or allegedly occurred within the scope of his/her duties with the District.

Therefore, the benefits and protection afforded provided pursuant to §3811 of the Education Law, shall be available, subject to the procedural requirements set forth therein and that the benefits and protections provided pursuant to §18 of the New York State Public Officers Law shall supplement and be available in addition to any defense or indemnification protection conferred by other statutes, rules or regulations, including but not limited to, the protections provided pursuant to Education Law §§3811, 3023 and 3028, subject to the procedural requirements set forth therein.

Public Law §18
Education Law §§3811, 3023, 3028

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