

Tumwater School District Procedures

RELEASE OF INFORMATION CONCERNING SEXUAL AND KIDNAPPING OFFENDERS

Public agencies are authorized to release relevant and necessary information regarding sex and kidnapping offenders to the public when the release of the information is necessary for public protection. The school district has a public safety role to play in the dissemination of such information to staff, parents, students and the community and will disseminate such information under the following conditions:

Level 2: Intermediate risk to the Community:

1. Crime occurred outside “family” setting
2. Commission of multiple offenses at different times
3. Violent offense inside or outside family

Level 3: High Risk to the Community:

1. Offender has a history of predatory sex crimes
2. History of multiple violent offenses
3. Offender expresses desire to re-offend again
4. Offender is diagnosed as a sexual predator

District Notification Process: We do not receive notification of Level 1 Offenders. For both Level 2 and Level 3 offenders, send flyer to the Administrators of the sites involved to share with STAFF ONLY – administrators decide which staff need to be notified. Send flyer to Transportation Supervisor to share with drivers of routes that serve the area. Refer all questions, comments, etc., to either Thurston County or Tumwater Police Departments.

The School District has published a link to the Thurston County Sheriff’s Office “Offender Watch” program on its website in the Parent Resources section. Families may search offenders in their address area and sign up for email alerts.

The District will provide notification to students/families upon receipt of a request from a public law enforcement agency.

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