## **PUBLIC SAFETY**

The Board of Education desires that reasonable precautions be taken to assure the safety of students, employees, and any other persons who may occupy school district premises. Safety education and accident prevention measures are important for the development of appropriate behavior and the proper attitude in order to minimize the possibility of physical harm.

The school district will promote risk-management and safety education programs. These programs will be directed towards students and staff. The Superintendent of Schools will recommend to the Board of Education for consideration at its annual reorganization meeting the appointment of a Safety Committee comprised of appropriate staff members.

The Safety Committee will recommend, to the Superintendent of Schools, programs involving in-service education, accident prevention procedures, procedures for reporting accidents and unsafe conditions, procedures for accident recordkeeping, programs for buildings and grounds inspection, vehicular and pedestrian safety programs, and fire prevention activities.

The Safety Committee is invited annually to report to the Board of Education at a meeting held each spring for the purpose of hearing reports from the Committee on recommendations for continued improvements to safety protocols.

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