

SWEET HOME CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Wide School Safety Plan Update

Tuesday, June 16, 2026
Sweet Home Board of Education



EVERY STUDENT, ONE COMMUNITY, READY FOR THE FUTURE.

2025-26 District Safety Committee

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District Wide School Safety Plans

Per NYS Education Law §2801-a and NYS Commissioner's Regulations §155.17, public school districts must adopt a District-Wide School Safety Plan and building-level Emergency Response Plans for each school building

❖ District-Wide Safety Plan:

- **annual public comment for a 30-day period**
- **includes an annual public hearing**
- **approved by the Board of Education by September 1**



Building Level: Emergency Response Plans

- **Building-Level Emergency Response Plans:**
 - Confidential, detailed information on how school personnel and students should respond to different types of emergencies
 - shared with law enforcement agencies and emergency responders
 - submitted to NYSED by the October 1 annually



District Wide School Safety Plans

APPENDICES:

- Appendix I: Buildings covered by the District Plan
- Appendix II: Outside Resources
- Appendix III: Law Enforcement & Security Professional Services Contracts/MOUs
- Appendix IV: Public Employer Health Emergency Plan
- Appendix V: Cybersecurity Plan
- Appendix VI: NEW: Emergency Remote Learning Plan
- Appendix VII: Crisis Response Plan
- **Appendix VIII: Cardiac Emergency Response Annex**
- **Appendix IX: Transportation Annex**



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Sweet Home Safety Committee Recommendations:

Appendix VIII: Cardiac Emergency Response Annex

- In response to Desha's Law mandate
- Board voted on inclusion into the District Wide Safety Plan on January 22, 2026
- Must be included in both District wide safety plan as well as building level plans
- Identifies signs of a potential cardiac arrest and steps to take in a cardiac emergency on school grounds
- Lists locations of all AEDs in the building and those certified in AED/CPR



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Sweet Home Safety Committee Recommendations:

Appendix IX: Transportation Annex

- Identifies relocation/staging sites in the event a building needs to be evacuated
- Lists members of Incident Response Team (Superintendent, Asst. Superintendent, Transportation Supervisor)
- Lists contact information of all building administrators as well as Transportation Dispatch personnel
- Provides response protocols for transportation incidents
- Provides procedures for parent notification
- Provides a complete list of transportation drivers, aides and vehicles that would be available to the District in the event of an emergency



30 Day Public Comment Period

- District-Wide Safety Plan will be posted on Website for Public Review
- Comment Period runs June 17 to July 17
- Submit Comments Donald Feldmann, Assistant Superintendent
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- Board would vote accept Safety Plan at August meeting.



QUESTIONS?

