

FAIRFIELD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

INSURANCE ON BUILDINGS: PUBLIC LIABILITY, INSURANCE  
FOR EMPLOYEES, BROKER OF RECORDS

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- 8070.1 “The board of school directors in every school district shall have full power and authority to make and enter into any contract or contracts it may deem proper with any person, firm or corporation, including any mutual fire insurance company authorized to transact business in this Commonwealth, for the purpose of insuring against loss or damage by fire, or otherwise, any or all of the school buildings or other property owned or leased by the school district.” [24 PS 7-774 (a)]
- 8070.2 “The board of school directors in every school district shall have full power and authority to make and enter into any contract or contracts it may deem proper with any person, firm, or corporation including any mutual insurance company authorized to transact business in this Commonwealth, for the purpose of insuring every employe and school director of the school district against liability for damage sustained by pupils, or others as a result of the employe’s or directors’ negligence in the performance of his or her duties during the course of his or her employment on the performance of his or her duties.” [24 PS 7-774 (b)]
- 8070.3 “No contract or contracts of insurance authorized by this section shall be purchased from or through any person employed by the school district in a teaching or administrative capacity.” [24 PS 7-774 (c)]
- 8070.4 The District shall purchase insurance for each of its school buildings and the contents therein for fire, extended coverage and vandalism, and malicious mischief. Also to be purchased is coverage in the following areas: Comprehensive General Liability, Comprehensive Automobile Liability, Excess Indemnity - Umbrella Liability, Boiler and Machinery Insurance, Workmen’s Compensation, Travel Accident Policy, Fidelity Bonds and Broad Form Money and Security Loss Policy.
- 8070.5 The Business Manager is responsible for administering the insurance program for the District, including coordination of changes in coverage. Any proposed changes in the District’s insurance program, except for routine endorsements, are to be approved by the Board.

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8070.6      Annually the Business Manager shall provide the Board with a report on status of the District's insurance coverages.

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