SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GREEN LAKE POLICY

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Facilities	

School-Community Relations

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The Green Lake School District subscribes to the philosophy that the public schools are owned and operated by and for its patrons and that the schools are an integral part of the community.

The Board of Education recognizes that its buildings and facilities are a valuable asset to the community. Therefore, it encourages the use of school facilities by community groups for worthwhile purposes when such use does not interfere with regular scheduled school activities.

Use of facilities need to be approved and scheduled to ensure that there is no conflict with school scheduled events. The Use of Facility Request Forms are available in the school main office and the Master Calendar of school events for the year. It is recommended that the Facility Request Form be completed a minimum of 7 days prior to the requested use date. Facilities will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

The facilities of the School District will be available for community use under conditions prescribed or permitted by law and in accordance with Board adopted policies and established District procedures. The Board of Education requires community use of the District's facilities to adhere to the same standards as is required of school use. The applicant will provide assurance that participants will comply with applicable conduct expectations in accordance with state and federal laws, board policies and district procedures.

Use of school equipment with the use of school facilities must be requested specifically in writing on the "Facility Request Form". The users of school equipment must accept liability for any damage or loss to such equipment that occurs while it is in their use.

Users shall be liable financially for damage to the facilities and for proper supervision.

The District reserves the right to reject or cancel any request for use of facilities.

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Legal Reference: Wisconsin Statutes Section 120.10(9) & (10); 120.13(17), (19), (21), & (25); and 121.02 (1)(i); Equal Access Act; and Boy Scouts of America Equal Access Act of 2001

Cross References: 830 – Procedures for Community Use of School Facilities; 720 – School Safety; 831, Tobacco Free School; 832, Weapons on School Premises; 860, Visitors to School

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