

## BOARD MEMBER INDEMNIFICATION

Because they are members of an agency of government whose powers and duties can only be exercised by a decision of the majority of Board membership when the Board is officially in session, the members of the Board and its employees and agents act as agents of the district. None of these individuals should be placed in a position of personal liability for the performance of the responsibilities vested in them by the voters of the district and the state and federal governments.

Therefore, in order to protect the individual members of the Board, its employees and other agents, and the educational interest of the community, the Board will purchase, from public school funds, in the absence of governmental immunity or in coordination with governmental immunity, adequate insurance to indemnify Board members and agents of the district for their official actions in the service of the school district.

**Statutory Reference:**

RSA 31:104, 105, 106, and 107

RSA 412:13

RSA 507:B

**Mrs. Connie Twombly, Chairperson**  
**Mrs. Peggy Richards**  
**Mr. Joseph Fleck**  
**Ms. Sarah Hayes**  
**Mrs. Desiree Tumas**

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