THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Board Member Insurance

The district shall maintain sufficient insurance to protect the board and its individual members against liability arising from actions of the board or its individual members while each is acting on behalf of the district and within his/her authority as a board member.

An individual board member may participate at his/her own cost in any of the personal liability, life, health, health care, accident, disability, salary protection or other form of insurance made available to district staff if plan sponsors permit such participation.

Cross Reference:	Board Policy 8310		Liability Insurance
Legal References:	RCW	4.24.470	Liability of officials and members of governing body of public agency
	RCW	4.96.040	Elected officials of special purpose districts— Immunity from civil liability
		28A.400.360	Liability insurance for officials and employees authorized
		28A.320.060	Actions against officers, employees or agents of school districts and educational service districts—
		28A.320.060	Defense, costs, fees—Payment of obligation Officers, employees or agents of school districts or educational service districts, insurance to protect and hold personally harmless

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