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The Board authorizes the District Administrator to install and operate audiovisual surveillance and audiovisual recording technology in School Vans to enhance student safety and well-being. For purposes of this policy, a School Van is a motor vehicle which carries 9 or less passengers in addition to the operator, is used by the District to transport students, and does not meet the school bus painting requirements in Wis. Stat. § 347.44(1).

The District will provide annual notification to parents regarding the use of audiovisual surveillance and audiovisual recording on School Vans, which can be provided during the District's process for signing up for transportation services. Notice of this policy will also be clearly posted on the interior of all School Vans.

Any agreement with a transportation contractor for the provision of transportation services via School Vans for the District shall have language regarding the use of audiovisual surveillance and audiovisual recording on all School Vans.

Recordings made under this policy shall remain confidential and may be used by only school officials and law enforcement personnel for investigations, school disciplinary actions, and criminal prosecutions related to incidents occurring in or around the School Van, or as otherwise required by law.

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Legal References:
121.555(1)(a), 347.446 Wis. Stats.
Wis. Admin. Code Trans 300.81(7)