

Palouse Prairie Charter School

NONINSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

8520

Inspection of Charter School Facilities

To ensure the safety and health of children and staff, the Charter School shall, at least once a year subject the facilities of the school to an independent inspection for the purposes of determining whether such facilities comply with safety and health standards and other codes and requirements of Idaho law. The safety inspection will be conducted by a professionally qualified independent inspector or done pursuant to Title 39, Chapter 80, Idaho Code. The safety inspection report shall be provided to the Board of Directors and to the administrator of the division of building safety for review.

After having the opportunity to review the inspection report, the Board shall identify any unsafe or unhealthy conditions and take the necessary steps to abate such conditions. Should any unsafe and unhealthy conditions remain beyond the school year in which such conditions were reported, the Board shall identify such conditions as not having been abated and take all necessary steps as soon as is practical to abate such conditions.

For purposes of this policy, the term “facilities” means Charter School buildings, administration buildings, playgrounds, athletic fields or any other facilities or property used by schoolchildren or school personnel in the normal course of educational services.

Emergency Evacuation Plan

The Charter School shall ensure the safety and health of students and staff by having in place at all times an Emergency Evacuation Plan. The Charter School will cooperate and coordinate with city, county, and state emergency personnel. The Charter School shall review its emergency evacuation plan annually to determine whether the procedures in place require modification. The Plan will be posted in the Charter School office as well as in every school building in the Charter School. The Plan will be provided to each staff member at the beginning of the school year. In addition, the Charter School will educate parents and patrons in the school by providing periodic information regarding the Plan.

Cross Reference: 8300	Emergency & Disaster Preparedness
8510	Charter School Safety
9400	Safety Program

Legal Reference: I.C. § 33-1613	Safe Public School Facilities Required
IDAPA 08.02.03.106	Safe Environment and Discipline

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