

School Board

Resolution for Indemnification and Protection of School Board Members, Employees and Student Teachers of Indian Prairie School District 204

The Board of Education of Indian Prairie Community Unit School District 204, DuPage and Will Counties, Illinois, must indemnify and protect the School District, members of the Board, the employees of the School District, volunteers and student teachers of the District against civil rights and constitutional rights damage claims and suits, and all other actions, claims, suits or other demands against these persons for negligent or wrongful acts alleged to have been committed in their employment, or under the direction of the Board.

This protection also includes legal defense when damages are sought for negligent or wrongful acts allegedly committed by anyone employed by or under the direction of the Board.

The purpose of this resolution is to provide protection and indemnification against civil rights damage claims and suits, constitutional rights damage claims and suits and death and bodily injury and property damage claims and suits, including defense thereof, when damages are sought for negligent or wrongful acts alleged to have been committed in the scope of employment and/or under the direction of the Board. Such indemnification and protection will extend to persons who were members of School Boards, employees of School Boards, authorized volunteer personnel or student teachers at the time of the incident from which the claim arises. No agent may be afforded indemnification or protection unless he/she was a member of the School Board, an employee of a Board, an authorized volunteer or a student teacher at the time of the incident from which the claim arises.

Each year in compliance with this resolution, a list of protected/indemnified School Board members, District employees and student teachers will be provided by the Superintendent to the Business Office.

LEGAL REF.: Illinois School Code, Sec. 10-20.20 and 10-22.34 (105 ILCS 5/1020.20 and 5/10-22.34).

ADOPTED: April 22, 2013