## **EMERGENCY PLANS POLICY**

## NORTHESTERN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT #56-7

Advance planning for emergencies and disasters is essential to provide for the safety of students and staff; it also strengthens the morale of all concerned to know that preparedness plans exist and that students and staff have been trained in carrying out the plans.

The Superintendent will develop and maintain an Emergency Planning Guide containing emergency plans that meet requirements for preparedness in case of fire, violent acts, civil emergencies, and natural disasters. All personnel and students will follow policies and procedures set forth in the guide.

The Superintendent will meet all requirements for conducting fire, emergency drills, and bus evacuations to give students the practice in moving with orderly dispatch to designated areas under emergency conditions, and the staff practice in carrying out their assigned responsibilities for building evacuation and protection of all students.

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