EBBD – INDOOR AIR QUALITY

In order to ensure that all school buildings maintain air quality that protects the health of all occupants, the Wilton-Lyndeborough Cooperative School Board (WLCSB) directs the Superintendent to evaluate physical conditions that can impact air quality such as general cleanliness, ventilation, moisture control, emissions from motorized vehicles, as well as chemical use and storage. The School Board may delegate the evaluation of air quality to the Director of Buildings and Grounds. The WLCSB encourages the Superintendent to utilize methods and recommendations established by various State agencies.

Motorized Vehicle Emissions

- 1. Bus providers are to follow anti-idling procedures when arriving at student loading or unloading areas. Exceptions may be made for extreme weather conditions which require idling for heating or mechanical purposes or to insure full functioning of safety lights and equipment when loading/unloading students.
- 2. All drivers are to turn off engines when parked to drop off or pick up children. Exceptions may be made for extreme weather conditions.
- 3. Delivery vehicles are to follow anti-idling procedures unless the vehicles need to run compressors or other devices. Exceptions may be made for extreme weather conditions.
- 4. Emergency vehicles are to follow their common safety protocols.

The School Board and/or Director of Buildings and Grounds shall annually investigate air quality in Wilton-Lyndeborough Cooperative School District (WLCSD) school buildings using a checklist provided by the New Hampshire Department of Education. The School Board is authorized to establish regulations and/or administrative rules necessary to implement anti-idling and clean air measures aimed at improving indoor air quality.

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