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The Board of Education hereby finds that the safety and welfare of the citizens of this District are inextricably dependent upon assurances of safety for children attending, and the persons employed by, schools in this District.

Subject to the exceptions listed below, the Board prohibits any person from possessing, or carrying or causing the possession or carrying of any firearm or other deadly weapon on any setting that is under the control and supervision of the Board including but not limited to, property leased, owned, or contracted for by the Board, the site of any school-sponsored event, or in a Board-owned vehicle, including a school bus, unless such person is a law enforcement officer acting in his/her official capacity or s/he has the express written permission of the Superintendent. Any person violating this policy shall be referred to law enforcement officials and the Board may take any necessary steps to exclude the visitor from Board-sponsored events, regardless of whether such visitor possesses a valid concealed weapon license.

This prohibition does not apply to an individual twenty-one (21) or older who has a valid concealed handgun permit and possesses a concealed firearm while in a motor vehicle in a public school's parking lot, traffic circle, or other area of vehicular ingress or egress so long as the firearm is out of view from individuals outside the vehicle.

Further, this prohibition does not apply to an individual twenty-one (21) or older who has a valid concealed handgun permit and possesses an unloaded firearm in a locked vehicle or locked firearm case, that is on any part of school grounds used as a parking facility provided, howev

- D. "Switchblade knife" means any knife having a spring-operated blade which opens automatically upon pressure being applied to a button, catch or other releasing device in its handle.
- E. "Nunchaka" means a flailing instrument consisting of two (2) or more rigid parts, connected by a chain, cable, rope or other nonrigid, flexible or springy material, constructed in such a manner as to allow the rigid parts to swing freely so that one (1) rigid part may be used as a handle and other rigid part may be used as the striking end.
- F. "Metallic or false knuckles" means a set of finger rings attached to a transverse piece to be worn over the front of the hand for use as a weapon and constructed in such a manner that, when striking another person with the fist or closed hand, considerable physical damage ma

3. is authorized by the board of education and the school principal to serve as security for a school;
4. meets all the requirements to carry a firearm as a qualified retired law enforcement officer under the Law Enforcement Officer Safety Act of 2004, as amended, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 926C(c); and
5. meets all of the requirements for handling and using a firearm established by his/her employer, and has qualified with his/her firearm to those requirements;

H. persons age twenty-one (21) or older who have a v

those activities held outside of the school building) and parcel of land. f land. 61 am am cm