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Approval of Streator YMCA Reunification Agreement

Purpose

To present the Board of Education with a Memorandum of Understanding between Streator Elementary School District 44 and the Streator YMCA for formal approval, as previously discussed during Officer Risley's safety update at the last board meeting.

Background and Information

Maintaining an effective emergency operations plan requires designated off-site sheltering locations in the event that district facilities must be evacuated.

This agreement establishes the Streator YMCA as an emergency reunification and shelter site to ensure student and staff safety during unexpected emergency situations.

Key Provisions

- The agreement allows the district to utilize the Streator YMCA facility located at 710 Oakley Avenue as an emergency shelter and reunification site for students and staff.
- The district agrees to provide full supervision for all students and staff while using the facility.
- The Streator YMCA will not charge any operational or administrative fees for the emergency use of the facility.
- The district agrees to reimburse the Streator YMCA for any direct overtime personnel costs or damaged equipment resulting from its use as a shelter site.
- The agreement is self-renewable annually and may be terminated by either party with a sixty-day written notice.

Administrative Recommendation

The administration recommends that the Board of Education approve the Memorandum of Understanding with the Streator YMCA as presented on the consent agenda.