

School Attorney/Legal Services

The Board will retain an attorney for legal counsel and services on an “as needed” basis. His/her retainer fee for general services will be set at the time services are needed. If “special services” are necessary, arrangements can be made for additional compensation.

The school attorney will be sufficiently familiar with the requirements of the school laws of the state to enable him or her to offer the necessary advice.

The Oklahoma State School Board Association (OSSBA) has attorneys that are available to any board member or administrator of member districts. It shall be the policy of the board of education that any authorized personnel shall be entitled to contact the OSSBA attorney to obtain information pertinent to the legal operation of the school district.

It shall further be the policy of the board of education that the president of the board of education shall make initial contact with the board’s school attorney concerning matters pertaining to the board of education. The superintendent of schools or his designee shall be authorized to contact the board’s attorney as needed.

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Cross Reference:

District #001, Woods County, Oklahoma