New Construction

Design and Process

It is the responsibility of the School Building Committee to develop plans and specifications for school facilities based on the information they receive from the Board of Education in the form of Educational Specifications. A designated central office administrator shall attend all meetings of the School Building Committee, and provide liaison services between Town Committees, the Public Works Department, and the Superintendent of Schools. Plans and specifications, after being approved by the School Building Committee shall be presented to the Board of Education for approval.

The Superintendent on the grant application form shall affirm that the school district considered the maximization of natural light, the use and feasibility of wireless connectivity technology and, beginning July 1, 2014, the school safety infrastructure standards developed by the School Safety Infrastructure Council. (Such standards address school building and classroom entryways, use of cameras throughout the school building and at all entrances and exits, including use of closed-circuit television monitoring, penetration resistant vestibules, and other security infrastructure improvements and devices as they become industry standards.)

(cf. 7115 - Developing Design Specifications) (cf. 7230.1 - Energy Conserving Construction) (cf. 7230.2 - Indoor Air Quality)

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

Public Act 13-3 An Act Concerning Gun Violence Prevention and Children's Safety (Sections 80, 81, 82)

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