STAFF SURVEY ON SCHOOL VIOLENCE

Date

This survey is part of a research grant held jointly between the Woodland Police Department and the Woodland School District. Its main goal is to make our schools and community safer and a better place for everyone. Your participation in this survey is voluntary, but extremely important in helping to lower the incidence of bullying, harassment and violence.

As you respond to the following questions, please keep the following definition in mind:

<u>Violence, which includes bullying & harassment occurs whenever anyone harms — or threatens to harm — a person's body, feelings, or possessions. In other words: Violence is any mean word, look, sign, or act that hurts a person's body, feelings, or things</u>

Only the Demographic information below will be used to determine correlations between responses: [Anonymity is paramount]

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Position: A. classified B. certified	

Violence/Bullying information:

- 1. On the average, how many physically violent incidents involving students have you observed each week during this year?
 - A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 2. On the average, how many bullying/harassment incidents involving students have you observed each week during this year?
 - A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 3. How many of the bullying/harassment incidents were handled without the assistance from the administration?
- A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 4. On the average, how many times each week have you had to intervene to stop student conflicts that could otherwise erupt in physical fights during this year?

- A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 5. How often have you been personally threatened or intimidated by a student during this school year only?
 - A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 6. How often has a student physically assaulted you during this school year only?
 - A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 7. How many times has your property been stolen, damaged or vandalized by a student during this school year only?
- A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 8. How often have you feared for your personal safety because of student bullying while in school this year?
 - A. None B. 1 2 C. 3 5 D. 6 or more
- 9. When are you most concerned for your personal safety? (Check all that apply, if any)
 - A. During class B. Between class C. Lunch D. After school E. after school or evening activities
- 10. Rate your level of personal security at school this year compared with last year.
 - A. N/A B.Less secure this year C. More secure this year D. About the same as last year
- 11. Rate the level of student violence at school this year compared with last year.
 - A.N/A B.Less this year C. More this year D. About the same as last year
- 12. Rate the level of student bullying/harassment at school this year compared with last year.
 - A. N/A B.Less this year C. More this year D. About the same as last year
- 13. Rate the safety of the total school environment this year compared with last year.
 - A. N/A B. Safer C. Less safe D. About the same

Using the following rating system, please indicate the areas where you think physical violence or bullying/harassment is most likely to occur.

	is likely to occur	could possibly occur	is unlikely to occur
In the classroom	A	В	С
School yard or playground	A	В	С
School restrooms	A	В	С
Hallways	A	В	С
School buses	A	В	С
School entrances/exits	A	В	С
Stairways	A	В	С
Parking lots	A	В	С
School activities (assemblies, etc)	Α	В	С
After school activities	A	В	С
Cafeteria/lunchroom	A	В	С
At home	A	В	С
Via the phone	A	В	С
In the community	A	В	С
Over the Internet	A	В	С

Rate your level of comfort with the information and skills you have to deal with student violence & bullying.

- A. I'm comfortable and need no further training or resources
- B. I'm comfortable but would benefit from new skills or information
- C. I'm uncomfortable now and need further training or resources

16 Upon reflection, do you believe you may have caused a student to feel he or she was bullied or intimidated?

- A. Yes B. Possibly C. No
- 17. Upon reflection, have you witnessed other staff members' behavior which may be regarded as bullying or intimidating of a student(s) at school or school events?
 - A. Yes B. Possibly C. No
- 18. If you answered Yes to question 17, how many times during this school year have you witnessed such behavior?
- A. 1 or 2 times B. 3 to 5 times C. 6 or more times

THANK YOU FOR PARTICIPATING

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