1. **Preamble**

1.1 The Waterloo Region District School Board (WRDSB) values and encourages community use of schools according to the guidelines and agreements as approved by the WRDSB for such use, recognizing that:

1.1.1 the primary responsibility of the WRDSB is to provide quality education to students at each of its facilities;

1.1.2 legislation and regulations allow a school board to make school buildings and premises available for any educational or lawful purpose it deems proper, provided there is no cost to the WRDSB;

1.1.3 the community use of schools program is administered on a cost recovery basis;

1.1.4 use by the community shall not interfere with the proper conduct of school and WRDSB programs nor with the security and maintenance of WRDSB’s properties; and

1.1.5 all users will be required to respect the property of the WRDSB and abide by the terms and conditions set out in their rental permit.