## WAUSA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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## "Educating Today's Students for Tomorrow's Future"

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To Wausa School Parents:

Dear Parents,

On Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, we will be running our alternate dismissal from Thabor Lutheran Church. We would like to practice this scenario in the event that a fire/gas leak/etc. would not allow our school the opportunity to dismiss regularly. We will dismiss at regular time, with the following plan:

- 1. Bus riders will dismiss out of the north side of the church (Please no parents parked on the North end of the church).
- 2. Town walkers/Student pickup will be dismissed out of the east end of the church (fellowship hall doors).
- 3. High school students will be dismissed out of the south end of the church.

If you are picking up your children, please park to the east of the church, and we will dismiss your students out of the church. Remember this is a drill, but we will practice it like a real event, so you will be getting an all call that afternoon stating that we are enacting our alternative dismissal out of Thabor. There may also be situations in a real case scenario that may involve fire/rescue/law enforcement. In that case, we may have to detain certain students until law enforcement gives us permission to excuse them. We also would like to keep parents outside, to ensure safety of our students if this was a live event, and to ensure that students are accounted for before leaving for home.

Finally, we will dismiss your students in the same manner as if we were dismissing from school. **Remember that this is a normal dismissal, just from a different location.** For example, if your students typically ride the bus, then that is what they will do during this dismissal.

Thank you parents for allowing us as school staff and administration the opportunity to practice this for the safety and security of our students. We sincerely appreciate it.

Yours in Education.

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