

## **PARENT-PAID TRANSPORTATION GUIDELINES**

Parent-paid transportation shall be offered to all pupils of the district not otherwise eligible for transportation in accordance with the provisions of this policy. Since space and cost must be considered, the availability of parent-paid transportation is not guaranteed. The following guidelines have been developed for implementation of Policy EEAA.

### 1. Transportation

- a. Regular school bus routes will be utilized dependent upon the availability of seats on the given route.
- b. Parent-paid transportation will not be provided if seats are not available on a regular route.

### 2. Cost

- a. The cost per pupil is determined from the prior year's transportation report for non-handicapped riders from the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.
- b. A reduced fee will be available for children who qualify for free/reduced lunch.

### 3. Payment

- a. A prepayment for each semester is required on space available parent-paid transportation regardless of number of days ridden.
- b. Refunds are not made regardless of the reason for discontinuing the service.
- c. All behavior rules apply. Refunds are not given to students who are suspended from the bus or from school.