

Student Transportation

The school district's transportation program shall be designed to get students who live an unreasonable walking distance from school to school and back in an efficient, safe and economical manner.

General responsibility for the transportation system is vested in the transportation coordinator. All other people engaged in the transportation program are responsible to that administrator.

It shall be the duty of the transportation coordinator to provide the superintendent with regular reports and information regarding the efficiency and conduct of the transportation program.

In the event the superintendent determines that the unreimbursed expenses associated with providing student transportation are impacting the budget for instructional programs, the district may explore opportunities to offset those costs through imposition of a transportation fee in accordance with state law.

Alternatively, the district may submit to the voters the question of whether to impose a mill levy increase for the payment of excess transportation costs in accordance with state law. If the mill levy increase is approved, the revenues shall be deposited in the transportation fund.

The district shall waive any transportation fee for any student eligible for reduced price or free lunches as determined by federal regulations.

Transportation is a privilege that may be revoked by the Administration.

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Revised and recoded by the superintendent: July 17, 2019

LEGAL REFS.: C.R.S. 22-32-110 (1)(a) (*hold real property in name of district*)
C.R.S. 22-32-113 (*transportation of pupils and imposition of fee for excess transportation costs*)
C.R.S. 22-32-114 (*transportation by parents of own children*)
C.R.S. 22-51-101 *et seq.* (*Public School Transportation Fund*)

CROSS REFS.:

Board policies:

EL-1, Global Executive Constraint

EL-4, Communication and Counsel to the Board

Administrative policies:

DEA, Fund from Local Tax Sources

EEA, subcodes, (all relate to the district's transportation program)

EFC, Free and Reduced-Price Food Services

JFBA, Intra-District Choice/Open Enrollment

File: E-8 (EEA)

JQ, Student Fees, Fines and Charges

LBD*-R, Relations with District Charter Schools (Procedures for Establishment, Review, Renewal, Revocation and Closure) – Regulation

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