



POLICY 7000

TRANSPORTATION OF STUDENTS ON REGULAR SCHOOL BUS ROUTES

POLICY:

Although the *School Act* does not require Boards of Education (“Board”) to provide student transportation services, the Board, as permitted by Section 83 of the *School Act*, and in accordance with this policy and accompanying district practice may provide transportation services for some students to and from school.

Where there are sufficient students to justify the service and where road conditions are suitable for school buses, school bus transportation may be provided for students who reside within the School District No. 6 (Rocky Mountain) “School District” boundary and who live a considerable distance from the nearest school. If school bus transportation is not practical, the Board may consider providing “transportation assistance” to parents.

The School District will provide safe and efficient transportation in a caring manner.

VARIANCE IN POLICY

Circumstances not covered by this policy and accompanying district practice shall be referred to the Superintendent for consideration. Any exceptions to this policy or district practice must be approved by the Board.