



# Oak Park Elementary School District 97

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TO: Members, Board of Education  
Dr. Carol Kelley, Superintendent of Schools

FROM: Alicia Evans, Assistant Superintendent of Finance and Operations

RE: Transportation Contract Extension

DATE: April 10, 2018

The Illinois School Code 105 ILCS 5/29-6.1) (from Ch. 122, par. 29-6.1), states,

Sec. 29-6.1. Contracts for transportation. Subject to Section 6-106.11 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, school boards may enter into contracts for up to 3 years for transportation of pupils to and from school. Such contracts may be extended for up to 2 additional years by mutual agreement of the parties, and thereafter may be extended on a year-to-year basis by mutual agreement of the parties, however no such contract may be extended on a year-to-year basis if a school board receives a timely request from another interested contractor that a contract be let by bid. (Source: P.A. 84-768.)

Therefore, the Board may extend the contract with Lakeview. This extension represents a 3.5% increase in both regular and special education when compared to 2017-2018.