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Dr. Kevin Nohelty Harvey Public School District 152 16001 Lincoln Avenue Harvey, IL 60426

Re: Transportation Bids

Dear Dr. Nohelty:

I have reviewed the bids submitted pursuant to the District's invitation to bid for pupil transportation services. A total of three contractors submitted bids, Jewel's Bus Company, All Town Bus Service, and Illinois Central School Bus. All three bids substantially comply with the invitation to bid issued by the Board.

At this point the Board must evaluate the bids. Pursuant to State law, the Board is required to award the bid by "first considering the bidder or bidders most able to provide safety and comfort for the pupils, stability of service and any other factors set forth in the request for proposal regarding quality of service, and then price."

As soon as the Board has selected a transportation provider, I will prepare a contract for approval and execution by the Board.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours

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