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STUDENT TRANSPORTATION

April 23, 2026

Dr. Adam Parisi  
Assistant Superintendent for Finance  
Chief School Business Official  
School District #45  
255 W. Vermont St.  
Villa Park, IL 60181



Dear Dr. Parisi,

Septran is pleased to submit a proposal to School District #45 to continue providing student transportation services for next school year.

Since our partnership with the School District #45 began, Septran has worked closely with your district to find opportunities to save costs while seeking to achieve the high standard for quality you have grown to expect. As costs continue to rise across the industry, we are only asking for what we need to cover general operating increase, wage increases and fleet upgrades.

We propose a rate increase of 4% for a one year extension.

Highlights of our proposal include:

-  **Wages** – Septran will increase wages 3.5%, maintaining with the pace of the market and ensuring we retain your experienced staff, drivers, and monitors.
-  **Fleet** – Septran will provide 3 new bus replacements during the next school year to ensure fleet age compliance.

We look forward to having the opportunity to renew our partnership and continue serving the district, the students, and the community.

Respectfully,



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