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DATE: February 25, 2026
TO: ISD #200 School Board
FROM: Jennifer Seubert, Director of Finance and Operations
SUBJECT: Non-Public Transportation Reimbursement Rate for 2025-2026

Recommendation to approve the 2025-2026 non-public transportation reimbursement rate for families whose children attend non-public schools outside of District #200 boundary at \$300 per student.

Minnesota Statutes, sections 123B.84 through 123B.87, require public school districts to provide transportation within the district for resident students attending nonpublic schools

For students attending nonpublic schools located outside of the district boundaries, the public school district is responsible for transporting the nonpublic school students to the appropriate school district boundary. Districts may transport students on district-owned buses, contractor-owned buses, or by contracting with the parents for the trip from the home to the border.

The reimbursement rate is to be determined by the district and is based on prior year information. An aid per student calculation is used, as well as trend data, and comparisons to what other districts are using for reimbursement rates.

The district receives Non-Public Pupil Transportation Aid for these students, so it is not a cost to the district.

Prior rates:

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| 24-25 | \$275.00 |
| 23-24 | \$250.00 |
| 22-23 | \$250.00 |
| 21-22 | \$250.00 |
| 20-21 | \$250.00 |
| 19-20 | \$225.00 |