PROCEDURES FOR ENROLLMENT OF NONRESIDENT STUDENTS

I. PURPOSE

Albany Area Schools desires to participate in the Enrollment Options Program established by Minn. Stat. 124D.03. It is the purpose of this policy to set forth the procedures used by the school district in making said determination.

II. PROCEDURES

- A. **TRANSPORTATION:** The District will only provide transportation services to open enrollment students when the student can be picked up and delivered at an existing bus stop within the District (or within 1 mile of school district boundaries) that is on an existing (Avon Elementary) transportation route servicing nonresident students.
- B. **GRANDFATHER CLAUSE:** Current nonresident students can remain at the elementary school they are enrolled at. Younger siblings, not currently school age eligible, can attend the same elementary if an older sibling is currently attending. If an older sibling is not attending the non-resident elementary school, the new student will need to attend the school board determined nonresident elementary school. This does not include preschool enrollment.
- C. **DISTRICT EMPLOYEES:** Dependent children of District employees may be enrolled as nonresident students. District employees may choose either elementary school as enrollment options.
- D. **APPEAL PROCESS:** Parents can appeal compelling situations to the Superintendent of Schools. The Superintendent's ruling is binding.

These procedures are effective July 1, 2019.

CROSS REFERENCES: Albany Area School District Policy 509 (Enrollment of Nonresident Students)