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The rating scale shall be used in determining the need to provide bus service from an area to a school when it is judged not safe for the student to walk to school. Place the appropriate score in the space provided for the factors affecting the child's route to school. It may be necessary to mark more than one description per subject.

DESCRIPTION OF AREA	Score	Points
Industrial/Commercial area with no walkways		100
Apartment complex on major streets without walkways		80
Residential area with no walkways to school		60
Rural area with no walkways		40
Residential/rural/apartment area with walkways		20
DESCRIPTION OF STREETS AND HIGHWAYS TO BE CROSSED OR TRAVELED		
Overpass/Underpass across an expressway		100
Access road along an expressway		90
Railroad crossing		90
Narrow,winding, isolated streets without walkways		80
Narrow,winding,isolated streets with walkways		70
Four lane highway/major artery without walkways		70
Four lane highway/major artery with walkways		60
Two lane road carrying heavy traffic		50
Two lane road carrying light traffic		40
Low water crossing		30
Residential area without walkways		20
Residential area with walkways		10
DISTANCE - HOME TO SCHOOL - BASED ON NEAREST HAZARDOUS CONDITION		
1.75 - 1.99 MILES		100
1.50 - 1.74 MILES		90
1.25 - 1.49 MILES		80
1.00 - 1.24 MILES		70
.75 - .99 MILES		60
.50 - .74 MILES		50
.25 - .49 MILES		30
.00 - .24 MILES		20
TRAFFIC CONTROLS LOCATED BETWEEN HOME AND SCHOOL WHICH ASSIST THE STUDENT		
None provided		100
Pedestrian crossing of major street with no assistance		80
Neighborhood streets with no controls		60
Neighborhood streets with controls		40
School crossing zones provided		30
Neighborhood streets with crossing guard		20

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TRAFFIC DENSITY OF MAJOR ROADS OR ARTERIES									
Heavy traffic at all times							100		
Heavy rush hour traffic - normal at other times							85		
Medium density at all times							70		
Medium rush hour traffic - normal at other times							55		
Low denisty traffic at all times							40		
SPEED LIMITS OF MAJOR ROADS TO BE CROSSED									
Six or more							100		
Five							90		
Four							80		
Three							70		
Two							60		
One							50		
NUMBER OF MAJOR INTERSECTIONS TO BE CROSSED									
Six or more							100		
Five							90		
Four							80		
Three							70		
Two							60		
One							50		
NUMBER OF FEEDER STREETS									
STREETS THAT CARRY NEIGHBORHOOD TRAFFIC TO MAJOR STREETS/ARTERIES TO BE CROSSED									
Six or more							100		
Five							90		
Four							80		
Three							70		
Two							60		
One							50		
APPLY SCORES FROM EVALUATION OF HAZARDOUS AREA TRANSPORTATION									
< 500 POINTS		Not hazardous							
500 - 574 POINTS		Grey area - Determination on case by case basis							
575 + POINTS		Hazardous							
The total points shall be multiplied by 1.00 for elementary school students.									
.80 for middle school students									
.60 for high school students									
Total points if students are elementary									
Total points if students are middle school									
Total points if students are high school									

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RECOMMENDATION									
DATE									
EVALUATOR'S NAME									