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John A. Polm, Ed.D., Superintendent

August 10th, 2023

Dear Neighboring School District:

The McKinney-Vento Act indicates it is the responsibility of school districts to cooperate and coordinate transportation when students receiving services cross district lines [42 U.S.C. SS 11432 (g) (5) (A) (ii)]. Your response to this communication will serve as a letter of agreement between your district and Puyallup School District (PSD) to establish how we will share the costs associated with the transportation of McKinney- Vento eligible students during the 2023-2024 school year. This agreement will guide cost allocation for all McKinney- Vento eligible student transportation including transportation for extended academic support.

The goals of this agreement are to ensure safe, timely, appropriate, and consistent transportation service and increase both agency's efficiency by eliminating after-the- fact agreements to share costs. This letter of agreement will be effective as of the date of the last authorized signature and will be implemented throughout the 2023-2024 school year as needed.

The PSD Transportation Department provides transportation for McKinney-Vento approved families using PSD buses, In-Lieu, Orca cards, and contracted transportation service providers. Some school districts with whom PSD have shared student cost with in the past, we have established an agreement that PSD will provide and set up the AM/PM transportation for all of PSD students. In turn the shared district will provide and set up the AM/PM transportation for all of their own students. This will allow each district to monitor its own student transportation and minimize billing timeliness and any potential billing errors or delays.

Please sign below and email this form back to the McKinney-Vento Transportation email no later than August 18th, 2023. If you need any additional assistance or if there are hardships with the above items, please contact us at Mvfostertransport@Puyallupsd.org or call transportation at (253) 841-8775 to discuss agreeable alternative means.

We look forward to collaborating with you in supporting our students.

Asst. Supt.

Dr. Vincent Pecchia, Assistant Superintendent of Operations

10/9/2023

Date

Please sign and return via email to: Mvfostertransport@puyallupsd.org

Director

Signature & Title

Bethel School District

School District

8/30/2023

Date

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