

1 **8101 NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS**

2 In-Town Busing

3 State Law requires transportation be provided to students who live 3 miles or more from school. It is the
4 policy of the Board of Trustees of School District No. 1, Cascade County to provide a more liberal
5 transportation service than required by State Law. Students on all established bus routes will be provided
6 bus transportation to their assigned school from their legal residence as

7 a) **Elementary, Grades K through 6** - One (1) or more miles from School.

8 b) **Middle School Grades 7 and 8** - One and one-half (1 1/2) miles

9 c) **High School** - Two (2) miles.

10 If, in the opinion of the Board of Trustees, bus transportation in an area is not feasible, individual
11 transportation reimbursement rates will apply.

12 Regularly scheduled bus transportation may be provided for a lesser distance than indicated above when
13 it is deemed by the Superintendent’s designee that hazardous walking conditions or other circumstances
14 exist that are a threat to the safety of the pupils.

15 Regularly scheduled bus transportation may also be provided for a lesser distance than indicated above
16 when there are unassigned seats. Bus stops and routes will not be changed to accommodate these
17 students.

18 Legal Reference:

19 § 20-10-101, MCA Definitions

20 Policy History:

21 Adopted on: July 1, 2000

22 Revised on: January 22, 2007

23 Revised on: June 9, 2014