Job Title: Substitute Route Bus Driver Location: District-wide Reports To: Transportation Director FLSA Status: Non-exempt Work Hours: As needed Salary: \$30/route

### **Position Overview:**

The **Substitute Route Bus Driver** is responsible for safely transporting students along designated routes when the regular driver is unavailable. This position requires adherence to safety regulations, maintaining a safe environment on the bus, and providing professional service to students, parents, and school staff.

### **Key Responsibilities:**

- Drive a school bus along established routes to and from school and events.
- Ensure student safety during boarding, unloading, and transit.
- Maintain discipline and manage student behavior.
- Perform basic pre-trip inspections to ensure bus is in safe operating condition.
- Report any maintenance issues or safety concerns to the Transportation Director.
- Follow district guidelines for safety and transportation policies.
- Assist students with disabilities or special needs as required.

#### **Qualifications:**

- High school diploma or equivalent.
- Valid CDL with required endorsement.
- Ability to pass background checks, drug tests, and physical exams.
- Ability to lift up to 50 pounds and assist students as needed.
- Strong communication skills and ability to work independently.

# **Working Conditions:**

- Work performed in all weather conditions.
- Flexibility to work mornings, afternoons, or other special events as needed.

# **Physical Requirements:**

- Ability to sit for extended periods.
- Ability to assist students with boarding and disembarking.
- Ability to lift up to 50 pounds.