

FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

520 Fifth Avenue Fairbanks, Alaska 99701-4756 (907) 452-2000 www.k12northstar.org



February 22, 2013

Representative Gattis State Capitol Room 420 Juneau, AK 99801

Representative Gattis:

The Fairbanks North Star Borough School District is supportive of House Bill 120, Adjusting Pupil Transportation Funding. Current language calls for a 1.5 percent increase annually in the funding amount for transportation. This bill changes the inflator to the Anchorage Consumer Price Index (CPI). This will match our Transportation Contract Agreement and will fully fund pupil transportation.

We appreciate your efforts to keep operating funds as close to the classroom as possible; House Bill 120 does just that. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Pete Lewis

Superintendent of Schools

cc: FNSB Board of Education