

**BRAINERD PUBLIC SCHOOLS – ISD 181 TRANSPORTATION WAIVER  
FOR EXTRACURRICULAR/CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ (PRINT)

Address of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_

Student's School: \_\_\_\_\_

Extracurricular/Co-Curricular Activity: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach/Advisor/Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) of Event/Season: \_\_\_\_\_

Location(s): \_\_\_\_\_

I am the parent or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ (“my child”), a student who participates in an extracurricular/co-curricular activity sponsored by Independent School District No. 181, Brainerd (“District”). I understand that participation in school sponsored extracurricular/co-curricular activities is completely voluntary. Students who participate in school sponsored extracurricular/co-curricular games, activities or competitions as part of a team or school group are generally required to ride to and from the games and competitions in District vehicles. However, the District is providing flexibility from this requirement due to challenges associated with providing District-sponsored transportation as a result of an ongoing bus driver shortage. An exception will be made if a student's parent or guardian has signed this form and has submitted it to the Coach/Director/Advisor (or) Student Activities Office at least one day before the game or competition.

As we understand, if school transportation is available and the coach is requesting all team members to ride together on the provided transportation, it is the students' responsibility to adhere to the coach or advisor's request.

**Assumption of Risk.** I recognize and understand that travel to or from any extracurricular/co-curricular event or activity in a private vehicle involves inherent risks, including, but not limited to, the risk of serious physical injury or death, and the risk of property loss. I also understand that the District cannot decrease these risks or supervise the transportation of my child if I transport my child, give my permission for my child to travel with an adult in a private vehicle, or give permission for my child to drive independently in a private vehicle to and from extracurricular/co-curricular events or activities. Knowing the inherent risks and dangers involved, I hereby voluntarily assume such risks and give permission as follows (initial and complete only one box):



I will provide my own transportation for my child to and from the extracurricular/co-curricular event or activity that is identified above, including, but not limited to, practices, games, and competitions.

(OR)

I give written permission for my child to drive independently in a private vehicle to and from the extracurricular/co-curricular event or activity that is identified above, including, but not limited to, practices, games, speaking engagements and competitions. This permission does not allow for transportation of any other students outside of their siblings. By giving this permission, I represent that my child holds a valid driver's license and has demonstrated the ability to safely and competently drive to and from events.

(OR)

I give written permission for \_\_\_\_\_, an adult (parent/guardian) who holds a valid driver's license, to transport my child in a private vehicle to the extracurricular/co-curricular event or activity identified above, including, but not limited to, practices, games, and competitions.

**Knowing and Voluntary Waiver.** In consideration for the District allowing my child to travel to games, activities and competitions in a private vehicle, and knowing the inherent risks and dangers that are involved in being transported in a private vehicle, I voluntarily waive and forever release the District and its current and former board members, officers, directors, employees, agents, insurers, and representatives from any and all liability, actions, claims, and demands for sickness, illness, personal injury, death, or property loss arising out of or relating to my request that my child be permitted to travel in a private vehicle to games, activities and competitions for the extracurricular/co-curricular activity that I have identified above. I understand that this means I cannot sue the District if my child is injured while driving or being transported in a private vehicle to the extracurricular/co-curricular event or activity identified above, including, but not limited to, practices, games, and competitions.

In addition, I hereby agree to hold the District and its board members, officers, directors, employees, agents, and representatives harmless from any and all claims, demands, or liabilities for sickness, illness, injury, death, or loss of property arising out of or relating to my child's transportation in a private vehicle to the school sponsored extracurricular/co-curricular activity that I have identified above.

**I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT CAREFULLY AND UNDERSTAND IT IS LEGALLY BINDING.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Coach or Advisor:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date:

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\_\_\_\_\_ Request Approved      \_\_\_\_\_ Request Denied      Reason Denied: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Student Activities/Designee: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_