

## VANPOOL DRIVER ELIGIBILITY/RETENTION CRITERIA

✚ Must have current, unrestricted license (prescription lens requirement is acceptable). A review of other restrictions may be performed on an individual basis for applicability to safety.

✚ Must have five (5) years licensed driving experience.

✚ **Within a three (3) year period, prospective eligible drivers shall have NO MORE THAN:**

- ⇒ One minor, cited, verifiable accident, and no moving violations, **OR**
- ⇒ One minor moving violation and no more than one verifiable, non-cited, or not at fault accident.
- ⇒ NO Major Moving Violations
- ⇒ No insurance cancellation or non-renewal

✚ **Within a seven (7) year period, prospective eligible drivers shall have:**

- ⇒ NO suspension/revocation for reckless driving, hit & run, leaving accident scene, failure to appear, DWI/DUI, or vehicle-related felony.
- ⇒ NO SR22 filing.

✚ **For existing vanpool drivers, eligibility shall be terminated if (within a three (3) year period) they have:**

- ⇒ More than one minor, cited accident
- ⇒ Any major cited accident
- ⇒ One minor, cited accident and one or more minor moving violations
- ⇒ More than two minor moving violations\*
- ⇒ Any major moving violation

*\* This applies only if one of the moving violations occurred prior to acceptance as a Vanpool Driver and the driver disclosed the second moving violation in accord with the transit agency's requirements.*

### **DEFINITIONS**

- 1) "Minor Accident" shall be defined as involving less than \$2,500 in total damage, and no bodily injury.
- 2) "Major Accident" shall be defined as involving more than \$2,500 in total damage and/or bodily injury.
- 3) "Cited" means an accident in which the driver was given a traffic citation for a violation of a law or regulation in connection with any accident.
- 4) "Verifiable" means that the Transit Agency Staff is provided with copies of documents that establish damages, facts and legal outcomes.
- 5) "Major Moving Violations" shall be defined as those in which an accident resulted in a DUI (alcohol or drugs), careless, reckless, negligent, felony, failure to appear or leaving the scene convictions occurred; suspensions or revocations took place; or speed greater than 10 miles per hour over limit, passing/center line violations, failure to stop or failure to yield; or disobeying school patrol/officer violations.
- 6) "Minor Moving Violations" shall be defined as any violation less significant than those referenced as "Major Moving Violations".