
January 8, 2020

TO: School District Administrators
FROM: Division of Administration, Finance & Accountability
SUBJECT: Mileage Rate for January – December 2020

The Internal Revenue Service has announced that the standard mileage rate DECREASED from 58.0 cents to 57.5 cents effective **January 1, 2020**. This is the rate at which employers reimburse employees, tax free, for business use of their personal automobiles.

However, if the employee is reimbursed at a higher rate than 57.5 cents per mile, ONLY the excess should be included as income on the employee's Form W-2.

Mileage rates for each school district are set by their Board of Trustees. These rates can be more or less than the tax-free rate that the IRS has set.

For further information concerning the mileage rate, please contact Jeff Payne, Financial Operations Officer at (661) 636-4732.

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