Minidoka County School District **Transportation's Report** February 28, 2017

February full of love laughs and oh my goodness WATER!

Thanks to everyone who has helped get our little and big kiddos home safe and sound. Thank you to the county highway working day and night to keep us safe and trying to get our roads back to where we can travel on them again.

We are still not allowed to go on any dirt roads. Some of the parents are not happy about this, but we all agree it is for the safety of our kids and for the safety of our drivers.

This month we had 6 bus citations. They ranged from being disrespectful and rude to using foul language, not staying in seats and hitting another student and one with a Vape cig.

We did have a bus run into the back of a car in front of East Minico last Thursday when the roads were icy and snowy. Officer McEwen came and investigated the accident. The lady stopped suddenly in the middle of the road to let her student off at school, and my driver slid into the back of her. There was no damage to either vehicle. Officer McEwen explained that in the future all student need to be let off on school property and not in the middle of the road.

We Hope that March brings sunshine and warm weather and helps our roads dry out.

I really appreciate all of my staff for all they do.

Alicia Bywater Transportation Supervisor