

TRANSPORTATION BOARD REPORT

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Transportation Shop

The Transportation Shop has completed approximately 70 or more work orders. The department has been preparing all buses for the annual bus inspection. All buses passed inspection except for one bus, which is currently receiving warranty work due to an oil leak.

The Transportation Shop is now going through all district vehicles to ensure they are ready for the upcoming school year. Staff are also conducting an additional walk-through inspection of all buses to identify and document any body damage before the buses are placed into service.

Anyone who uses a district vehicle is asked to complete a walk-through inspection with the Transportation Shop crew before leaving the Transportation Department. This will help ensure that the vehicle's condition is documented and that the driver understands how to properly inspect the vehicle before use.

All fire extinguishers and first-aid kits have been recertified and placed back on the buses.

A special thank you to the Superintendent for providing additional assistance to help the Transportation Department prepare all buses for the new school year.

Transportation Office

The Transportation Office has completed the necessary paperwork for the Glacier County meeting and the annual bus inspection. Staff have also completed the required paperwork and preparations for employee orientation and the start of the new school year.

The department has reviewed the current bus fleet and identified nine buses that will need to be updated or replaced due to age and depreciation requirements.

Trip Personnel and District Vehicle Use

All personnel who operate or use district vehicles are required to sign and acknowledge the applicable vehicle-use policies. Personnel must also provide a copy of their valid driver's license to the Transportation Department.

The Transportation Department will continue to emphasize safe vehicle operation, proper inspections, and compliance with district policies to help ensure the safety of students, staff, and the public.

Thank you for taking the time to read the August Transportation Board Report.

God Bless,

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Transportation Department