Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District 103

Memo

To: Board of Education
From: Anthony Mendoza, CDPT
CC: Dr. Katie Reynolds
Date: November 13, 2026
Re: Transportation Snapshot

November 2026

Planned Staff		Hired Staff - *Breakdown*			
Title	# of Positions Planned	# of Certified Staff	# of Spare Drivers	# of Drivers in Training	Total Hired Staff
Bus Drivers	32	25	3	1	29
Monitors	7	6	0	0	6
Van Drivers	3	2	0	0	2

Routes						Open Route Coverage					
Type of Route	# of Total Routes		# of Routes Covered		Open Routes	# routes needing coverage		# of positions outsourced		# of positions needing coverage	Notes
School Bus	28	-	25*	=	3	3	-	1	=	2	*Covered by First Student*
Monitors	7	-	6	=	1	1	-	0	=	1	*Covered internally*
Van	3	-	2	=	1	1	-	1	=	0	*Covered by TopLine*

- *Red asterisk indicates driver out on FMLA listed on the Superintendent's report and 2 driver resignations as listed on the employment report.
- I've reached out to First Student for an additional driver through January 2027, which would put us at 2 First Student drivers.
- Newly hired driver (S. Andersen) is already certified (reflected above in "# of Drivers in Training"). His start date is 11/16/26. When he arrives, he will go through onboarding and training. Should be released on his own the first week of December.

LEADERS IN LEARNING

Fleet Maintenance Update

BUS	BUS DOWN	ISSUE	NOTES
2705		Aggressive creaking noise under drive seat. plywood trim	
11		Seat belt in seats 13 and 22 locked fully extended; will get these ordered	
2702	X	Right cross-over mirror lights do not work. Both hood latch handles keep popping off the rubber side. Up over the door is a relay and a fuse	At Central State