Minidoka County School District **Transportation's Report** September 30, 2016

September has come and gone and fall is in the air.

We lost a sub driver this month. She moved back to Emmett to help out with family. We will miss, Rachel Hansen she was the best.

All of my routes are filled at this time Yahoo. It's been a while since this has happened.

We are pretty excited that we have been able to do extra trips this year. It has been a few years that we have been able to do a whole lot to help out the schools, so this is pretty exciting for us.

We had 17 bus citations this month ranging from eating on the bus to punching other students and not sitting in assigned seats. We did have a couple of bullying incidents, but the drivers were awesome and took care of it right off the bat.

We are trying something new this year for our training. Each month we will have a driver or aide give a short presentation on a topic relating to school buses and driving.

This month we had a training meeting on the use of cell phones and texting while driving. Drivers are not allowed to use their cell phones unless they have a hands free device or are pulled off the road and stopped in a safe location.

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