

Transportation Report August 2024 Activities

The ISD #709 Transportation department manages both a district owned fleet of vehicles and district employees, including bus drivers, monitors, and mechanics, along with the coordination of contracted transportation services through Voyageur Bus Company.

We have been working on 24-25 regular school year routing. Back-to-school was much better this year. The Transportation Department continues to monitor and address hidden errors in IC and our software but we are working through them.

Staffing (comments and concerns)

- We are making due with the staff we have but still need more drivers and helpers.

Bus Maintenance

- The buses are all through inspections for the year along with the vans.
- Now besides keeping buses running the mechanics will start in on maintenance items

Our oldest bus is a model year 2012 and the next oldest is a 2014. Average mileage for this month is (no mileage taken). Our goal is to have 50-60k miles average.