

LYON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

*Staff Travel Report  
to  
School Board of Trustees*

Your recent request to travel has been approved. Within two weeks of the date of the conference, the following report is due in the office of the Deputy Superintendent.

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Staff Member:	<u>Ryan Robinson</u>	School:	<u>DO - Transportation</u>
Conference:	<u>NDE State Transportation Summit</u>	Staff Assignment	<u></u>
Do not use acronyms			
Location of Conference:	<u>Henderson Nevada</u>	Dates Attended:	<u>7/7/25 - 7/8/25</u>

*General Overview: Do not use acronyms*

The Nevada Department of Education Transportation Summit is an annual gathering of transportation departments from all school districts across the state. The summit provides important updates on new and existing laws and procedures at both the federal and state levels. Key topics include the review and adjustment of out-of-service criteria, updates to the Nevada Minimum Standards for school buses and other student transportation vehicles, and revisions to driver training procedures and documentation.

Attendees also collaborate on updates to the state's school bus driver certification test to ensure it reflects current standards and practices. This year's summit featured presentations from the Nevada Department of Public Safety and the Nevada State Police, focusing on human trafficking awareness. These sessions included strategies for implementing preventative measures within school transportation departments and training for bus drivers and aides to recognize signs of trafficking.

In addition, the summit included a review of the SafeVoice program, with a focus on how its data and reporting processes relate to school transportation safety and student well-being.

*How will this impact student learning in a positive way?*

School transportation departments play a crucial role in supporting student learning and overall success. Bus drivers are often the first school-related adult a student interacts with each morning and the last they see at the end of the day, making them key contributors to setting the tone for a student's school experience.

The Nevada Department of Education Transportation Summit ensures that transportation staff across the state remain informed and compliant with current laws, regulations, and best practices related to student safety. By attending this summit, our department is better equipped to implement updated procedures that directly enhance the safety, reliability, and efficiency of student transportation.

When students are transported safely and consistently, they arrive at school ready to learn, free from anxiety or distractions caused by unsafe or unpredictable travel. The summit also reinforces the importance of professional development for transportation staff, empowering them to better support students not only on daily routes but also during athletic and co-curricular trips, which are essential components of a well-rounded education.

*How will I implement what I learned and how will I share  
this information with my colleagues?*

Information gained from this summit will be used to update the training manuals and handbooks within the Lyon County School District's Transportation Department. These updates ensure that our materials reflect the most current state and federal regulations, safety practices, and procedural standards. All transportation staff in the Lyon County School District receive annual training on our local policies and procedures during in-service sessions, and the insights from this summit will be integrated into that training to enhance staff readiness and student safety.

*Other Comments:*



Site Principal/Supervisor Approval



Deputy Superintendent Approval

7/16/2025

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