



Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
SCHOOL BUS ACCIDENT REPORT
s. 121.53(6)
PI-3110 (Rev.12-11)

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete both sides and return to appropriate school board.

Section 121.53(6) of the Wisconsin Statutes reads as follows: "Within 10 days after its occurrence, every accident involving a motor vehicle providing transportation under this subchapter shall be reported to the appropriate school board."

GENERAL INFORMATION

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| School Rothschild Elementary School | School DC Everest School District | District | School 4970 | Code |
| Bus Lamers Bus Lines | Owner Address of Owner, 3805 Concord Ave Weston, WI 54476 | Street, | City, | State, Zip |
| Chassis Blue Bird | Make 2017 | Model Year Body Conventional | Make | Student 77 Capacity |

DRIVER INFORMATION

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| Name Trissa Olszewski | of Driver | Sex XMale | Age 36 Years | Years of Experience as Bus Driver 7 1/2 Years |
| Has your driver had the recommended training in firstaid? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | When did driver last attend a state-sponsored bus driver training session? NA | | | |

ACCIDENT DESCRIPTION

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| Date of Accident 01/26/26 | Time 8:19 am | Location of Accident: 50 Ft N of Everest Ave on Grand Ave in Village of Rothschild | | |
| Weather Cloudy | Conditions | Type of Road and General Conditions Divided Hwy without traffic barrier, blacktop, straight, level, dry | | |
| Speed of Bus: 35 MPH | Speed of Other Vehicle(s) 0 | Was a Citation Issued? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, to whom? | | |

If no citation was issued, who, in your opinion was responsible for the accident and why? School Bus. Van was stopped on Grand Avenue near Everest Dr in southbound inside lane. As other vehicles in front were turning onto Everest drive from Grand Ave. The van was traveling southbound on Grand Ave near Everest Drive, the bus tried to merge into lane two and did not see another vehicle that was not involved in the crash already in the Lane. The bus merged back into its original lane and did not have time to stop. The bus hit the van.

If driver was not legally responsible, could she/he have prevented the accident by driving defensively? Explain The bus driver could have checked again for traffic before merging.

Describe the cause and results of the accident in detail. Itemize injuries and property damage on reverse: The driver hit the back of the van leaving a dent and scratches on the back door of van along with back lights on driver side broken. The bus has damage to crossover mirror, light assembly and cowls on driver side. No injuries on the school bus or in the van at the time of the accident. It was reported by district that child had been taken to doctor after school

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| Were there students in the bus at the time of the accident? <input type="checkbox"/> No—If no, skip next two questions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes—If yes, complete all questions | How did students exit? Check all that apply. <input type="checkbox"/> Front Door <input type="checkbox"/> Rear Door <input type="checkbox"/> Windows <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Didn't Exit <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
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| Had the riders been instructed and drilled in bus evacuation/emergency exits? | Was a fire extinguisher used? | Was a first aid kit used? | |

INJURIES/FATALITIES

| Names of Students Injured | Nature of Injuries |
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PROPERTY DAMAGE

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| Describe Damage to School Bus: <i>The bus has damage to crossover mirror, light assembly and cowl on driver side</i> | Estimated Repair \$ Unknown at time of report |
| Describe Damage to Property of Others <i>A dent and scratches on the back door of van along with back lights on driver side broken.</i> | Estimated Repair Cost \$ Unknown at time |

RECOMMENDATIONS

As a result of this accident, what suggestions do you have to offer for the future?

Bus Safety Report

School Board

Bus Driver Training: Driver will be retrained on changing lanes and maneuvering around vehicles.

CERTIFICATION

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If an accident results in injury to or death of any person or total property damage to an apparent extent of \$200 or more, a report must also be filed with the local or state enforcement officer [Wisconsin Statute 346.70(1)] and the Department of Transportation [Wisconsin Statute 346.70(2)].

I CERTIFY that this accident has been reported to the appropriate enforcement officer and the Department of Transportation.

CERTIFY that this accident has been reported to the local or state enforcement officer and to the Department of Transportation, if required by law.

Name of Persons Completing Form Wendi DeMars

Position: Western Location Manager

Signature:

signature
Wende Hollars