

# REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

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**To:** ESD Board of Education  
**From:** ESD Chief Financial Officer, Rebekah Brooks  
**Date:** February 23, 2024  
**Business Date:** February 26, 2024  
**Subject:** Disposition of District Property

**RECOMMENDATION:**

To declare the attached list of buses as obsolete and approve of their disposal.

**BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:**

Pursuant to District Policy DN, the Board of Education for the Elizabeth School District has the authority to sell any District property not needed in the foreseeable future. The vehicles identified in the attachment have been taken out of service by transportation. Due to the age and condition of the buses, it is cost prohibitive to maintain for the District's fleet.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The fiscal gain will depend on the sales price at the time of disposition.

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## Transportation Department

February 23, 2024

To: Rebekah Brooks  
Chief Financial Officer  
Elizabeth School District

Dear Rebekah,

I would like to declare six buses and five of our white fleet to be surplus, allowing us to dispose of them by sale or by salvage, whichever produces the most return for the district.

The vehicles are as follows:

| Bus# | Miles   | Make                  | Vin               | Age |
|------|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----|
| 30   | 188,027 | 1998 Blue Bird T/C    | 1BAHBCSA0WF077472 | 26  |
| 40   | 138,029 | 2001 Blue Bird        | 1HVBBABP3YH332010 | 23  |
| 46   | 247,713 | 2003 Thomas           | 4UZAAXBV73CK38929 | 21  |
| 63   | 223,483 | 2002 IHC Blue Bird    | 1HVBBAAN02H514304 | 22  |
| 64   | 185,592 | 2006 Blue Bird Vision | 1BAKGCKA36F237562 | 18  |
| 69   | 161,909 | 2011 Blue Bird        | 1BAKGCPA1BF282065 | 13  |
| A-1  | 298,854 | 1997 CHE Suburban     | 3GNFK16R6VG172379 | 27  |
| A-2  | 291,096 | 1991 CHE Suburban     | 1GNGV26K3MF132345 | 33  |
| A-4  | 301,909 | 1993 CHE Suburban     | 1GNEC16K6PJ303887 | 31  |
| A-7  | 233,594 | 2005 Ford Exp XLT     | 1FMPU16515LA52377 | 19  |
| S-3  | 44,190  | 1985 CHE Suburban     | 1G8GK26M2FF159682 | 39  |

These buses and small vehicles all have significant issues, including problems with their frames and/or floors, making them unable to pass CDE inspections. Some interest has been expressed to us in using buses for storage and/or their engines, so we will offer them for sale rather than just scrapping them.

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