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**Action/Discussion Item:** First reading for district recommended revisions to transportation  
Extra-Curricular/Field Trips policy- **Bus Scheduling & Routing 06.31.**

**Applicable Statutes or Regulations:** BOE Policy 0.11 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education.

**Background and major Policy Implications:** District administration participated in a policy review this semester. It was determined that the following changes would be more efficient for the transportation department.

**Fiscal Budgetary Impact:** None

**Alternatives:** None proposed.

**Recommended Action:** To review policy changes for first reading

**Contact Person:** Joe Marson, Transportation Director  
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**Date:** July 17, 2019

  
Superintendent

  
Administrator

**Bus Scheduling and Routing****RESPONSIBILITY FOR**

The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible for scheduling and routing all buses in keeping with applicable statutes and regulations. This shall include a system of notifying parents, pupils, and drivers of bus schedules and routes and, for those schools serving breakfast, arranging bus schedules so that buses arrive in sufficient time to provide breakfast prior to the student attendance day.

Buses shall be routed only on public roads which are safe for bus travel.

**REGULAR ROUTE VEHICLES**

Except in cases of emergencies or for the transportation of students with disabilities, only school buses as defined by applicable statute and administrative regulation shall be used for transporting students to and from school along regular bus routes.

**PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL CONTRACTS**

In extreme situations, the Board may contract with private individuals to provide transportation for students who live on side roads inaccessible to bus traffic. In such cases, the contract shall be for transportation to an existing bus route only.

The vehicle used and the driver of said vehicle shall meet all safety and maintenance and training requirements, respectively, of regular school buses and drivers.

The distance traveled from the residence of the student(s) to the existing bus route shall be one (1) mile or more.

**Extra-Curricular/Field Trips**

A limit of 275 miles one way for field trips on school buses.

**REFERENCES:**

[KRS 156.153](#)

[KRS 158.070](#)

[KRS 158.110](#)

[KRS 158.115](#)

[702 KAR 005:030](#)

[702 KAR 005:060](#)

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