

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Complete details of the Bus Replacement plan may be seen by visiting the website of this unit of government at the following address: www.apaches.k12.in.us .

Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of Wabash City Schools that the proper officers of Wabash City Schools will conduct a public hearing on the year 2024 proposed Bus Replacement Plan pursuant to IC 20-40-18. Following the public hearing, the proper officers of Wabash City Schools may adopt the proposed plan as presented or with revisions.

Public Hearing Date:
Public Hearing Time:
Public Hearing Place:

18-Sep-23
6:00pm
Wabash City Hall

Taxpayers are invited to attend the meeting for a detailed explanation of the plan and to exercise their rights to be heard on the proposed plan. If the proposed plan is adopted by resolution, the resolution will be submitted to the Department of Local Government Finance as per IC 20-40-18-9(d).

**SCHOOL BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN
FOR THE YEARS 2024 - 2028**

Pursuant to IC 20-40-18, Wabash City Schools does hereby submit to the Department of Local Government Finance the following School Bus Replacement Plan for the five (5) year period 2023 through 2027. This plan is based upon the presumption that the minimum useful life of a school bus is not less than twelve (12) years.

**SECTION I
Replacement Cost of Bus/Vehicle During Specific Year**

	Bus Description	Corp ID Number	Type of Bus/Vehicle per	Owned or Leased	Estimated Replacement Costs				
					2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
1	Thomas 07 (#6) - Sub Bus	8060	C	Owned					
2	Thomas 09 (#14)	8060	C	Owned		115,000			
3	Thomas 12 (#4)	8060	C	Owned		115,000			
4	Thomas 12 (#8) - Sub Bus	8060	C	Owned					
5	Thomas 12 (#18)	8060	C	Owned			115,000		
6	Thomas 15 (#12)	8060	C	Owned				115,000	
7	Thomas 15 (#19)	8060	A	Owned			90,000		
8	Thomas 16 (#15)	8060	A	Owned					
9	Thomas 16 (#5)	8060	C	Owned					120,000
10	Thomas 16 (#9)	8060	C	Owned					120,000
11	Thomas 17 (#24)	8060	C-Wheelchair	Owned					
12	Thomas 18 (#2)	8060	C	Leased					
13	Thomas 18 (#16)	8060	A	Leased					
14	Thomas 19 (#7)	8060	C	Leased					
15	Thomas 19 (#21)	8060	C-Wheelchair	Leased					
16	Thomas 20 (#20)	8060	C	Leased					
17	Thomas 20 (#22)	8060	C-Wheelchair	Leased					
18	Thomas 21 (#25)	8060	A	Leased					
19	Thomas 21 (#26)	8060	C	Leased					
20	Thomas 22 (#10)	8060	A-Wheelchair	Owned					
21	Thomas 24 (#11)	8060	C	Leased					
22	Thomas 24 (#17)	8060	C	Leased					
Replacement Cost Totals						230000	205000	115000	240000

Note: Additional sheets may be added if necessary.

SECTION II

**JUSTIFICATION FOR ADDITIONAL BUS PURCHASES, TRANSPORTATION SERVICES,
AND/OR EARLY BUS REPLACEMENT**

1. Pursuant to IC 20-40-18-9(b)(2)(A), if the School Corporation is seeking to acquire or contract for transportation services that will provide for additional school buses or buses with a larger seating capacity as compared to the number and type of school buses from the prior school year, explain for each additional bus and the circumstances of the demand for increased transportation services within the School Corporation.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

2. Pursuant to IC 20-40-18-9(b)(3), if the School Corporation is seeking to require a contractor to replace a school bus, explain for each bus the circumstances for that need.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN AMENDMENT

If the school corporation is submitting an amended plan, please complete the following questions.

1. Declare the nature of and the need for the amendment.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

2. Show cause as to why the original plan no longer meets the needs of the school corporation.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT US REPLACEMENT PLAN
Budget Year 2023**

This resolution is adopted by the Board of Trustees of the School Corporation below:

School Corporation Name: Wabash City Schools
County: Wabash

WHEREAS, A School Bus Replacement Plan has been established; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees is required under IC 20-40-18-9 to adopt a plan for the School Bus Replacement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees held a public hearing on the plan date and place below:

Meeting Date: 9/18/23
Meeting Location: Wabash City Hall

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees that the plan entitled "Bus Replacement Plan" this resolution, and is adopted as the Board of Trustees' Plan with respect to the School Bus Replacement Plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees shall submit a certified copy of this resolution to the Department of Local Government Finance as required by IC 20-40-18-9.

Adoption Date: 10/23/23

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Attest: _____

Secretary of Board of School Trustees