

**SCHOOL BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN
FOR THE YEARS 2026 - 2030**

Pursuant to IC 20-40-18, Batesville Community School Corporation does hereby submit to the Department of Local Government Finance the following School Bus Replacement Plan for the five (5) year period 2026 through 2030. 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 DOE "TN"	Owned or Leased	Estimated Replacement Costs				
					2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
1	Freightliner	16	2012 C	owned	\$180,000				
2	Freightliner	17	2012 C	owned	\$180,000				
3	Freightliner	41	2012 C	owned		\$185,000			
4	Thomas	43	2012 C	owned		\$185,000			
5	Thomas	44	2014 D	owned			\$200,000		
6	Thomas	20	2015 D	owned			\$200,000		
7	Thomas	3	2016 C	owned				\$190,000	
8	Thomas	42	2016 C	owned				\$190,000	
9	Thomas	80	2016 C	owned				\$190,000	
10	Thomas	8	2016 C	owned					\$195,000
11	Thomas	9	2016 C	owned					\$195,000
12	Thomas	10	2016 C	owned					\$195,000
13	Thomas	22	2016 D	owned					
14	Thomas	24	2017 D	owned					
15	Thomas	70	2018 C	owned					
16	Thomas	1	2018 D	owned					
17	Thomas	90	2019 C	owned					
18	Thomas	6	2019 D	owned					
19	Thomas	25	2020 D	owned					
20	Thomas	21	2020 D	owned					
21	Chevrolet Starcraft	A	2021 A	owned					
22	Thomas	4	2021 C	owned					
23	Thomas	26	2022 C	owned					
24	Thomas	5	2024 C	owned					
25	Thomas	18	2025 D	owned					
26	Chevrolet Micro-Bird	B	2013 A	owned					
27	Chevrolet Micro-Bird	C	2025 A	owned					
28	Chevrolet Micro-Bird	D	2013 A	owned					
29	Chevrolet Micro-Bird	E	2025 A	owned					
30	International	45	2013 C	owned					
Replacement Cost Totals					\$360,000	\$370,000	\$400,000	\$570,000	\$585,000

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(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.

Batesville Community School Corporation has a need to increase the number of type "A" activity buses, due to the multi-year backlog in production and delivery of replacement units ordered. This will be accomplished by keeping the intended trade-in as an additional spare.

2. Pursuant to IC 20-40-18-9(4), if the school corporation is seeking to replace an existing school bus earlier than twelve (12) years after the existing school bus was originally acquired or requires a contractor to replace a school bus, explain for each bus the circumstances for that need.

SCHOOL 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.)