

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

Pursuant to IC 20-40-18, **Western Wayne Schools (8355)** 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	2003 Chevy Collins	M-2	Type A	Owned					
2	2005 Chevy Collins	M-1	Type A	Owned		\$105,000.00			
3	2006 IC	9	Type C	Owned		\$90,000.00			
4	2006 IC	11	Type C	Owned			\$145,000.00		
5	2008 IC	10	Type C	Owned		\$90,000.00			
6	2008 Int/Carpenter	6	Type C	Owned	\$170,000.00				
7	2009 IC	12	Type C	Owned			\$145,000.00		
8	2009 IC	16	Type C	Owned				\$145,000.00	
9	2011 IC	22	Type C	Owned				\$145,000.00	
10	2011 IC	8	Type C	Owned				\$145,000.00	
11	2011 IC	17	Type C	Owned	\$88,958.00				
12	2011 Chevy Express CutawayG350	M-3	Type C	Owned					\$145,000.00
13	2012 IC	5	Type C	Owned					\$145,000.00
14	2014 IC	21	Type A	Owned					\$145,000.00
15	2014 IC	14	Type C	Owned					
16	2016 IC	20	Type C	Owned					
17	2017 IC	1	Type C	Owned					
18	2018 IC	3	Type C	Owned					
19	2019 IC	7	Type C	Owned					
20	2017 IC	2	Type C	Owned					
21	2024 IC	4	Type C	Owned					
22	2024 IC	15	Type C	Owned					
23									
24									
25									
Replacement Cost Totals					258958	285000	290000	435000	435000

Note: Additional sheets may be added if necessary.

SECTION II

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

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.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

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.

(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 BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN
Budget Year 2026

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

School Corporation Name:	Western Wayne Schools (8355)
County:	Wayne

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:	September 10, 2025
Meeting Location:	215 East Parkway Drive. Cambridge City, Indiana 47327

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:	10/8/2025
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Secretary of Board of School Trustees