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To: All Permanent Bus Drivers and Permanent Bus Aides

From: Evie Strader – Operations Manager

Re: Summer Bid Dates

Date: April 25th 2018

The Summer School Schedule for 2018-2019 has been set as noted below, session times and bid dates are listed. Summer School bids are subject to change and or cancellation based upon District enrollment, programs and needs of the districts. Any change in bid dates and or times will only be posted on the designated bid board outside the Special Needs department. It is not known at this time how many routes will be available for both driver positions and bus aide positions. It is strongly encouraged that you attend the bids if you wish to bid. The agency has the right to combine upcoming programs, in accordance with the collective bargaining agreement with existing programs to provide the most cost effective service to our member districts.

All bids will be held at 9:30 am on the date listed, employees only should be present at bid, no children should be brought to bid.

BID DATE	PROGRAM	PROGRAM DATES
06/06/18	WESTSIDE SCHOOL DISTRICT (SPECIAL NEEDS)	06/11/18 through 06/29/18
06/06/18	AUTISM ACADEMY (SPECIAL NEEDS)	06/11/18 through 07/20/18
06/21/18	LANCASTER SCL DIST. (SPECIAL NEEDS)	07/02/18 through 07/30/18
06/21/18	PALMDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT (SPECIAL NEEDS)	07/02/18 through 07/27/18
06/21/18	MIGRANT ED (GENERAL ED – TRANSIT)	06/25/18 through July - TBD
06/21/18	HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT (SPECIAL NEEDS)	07/02/18 through 07/27/18
06/21/18	KEPPEL SCHOOL DISTRICT (SPECIAL NEEDS)	07/02/18 through 07/30/18

(SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR FURTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION)

IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE:

* 2018/2019 EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION, JULY 30TH & JULY 31ST 8:00 TO 12:00 AT LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL* *ORIENTATION IS MANDATORY, EMPLOYEES ONLY, NO CHILDREN ALLOWED *

* 2018/2019 BID WILL BE WEDNESDAY AUGUST 1ST 2018 @ 9AM FOR DRIVERS AND 1:00 PM FOR BUS AIDES*

ALL DRIVERS WISHING TO BID ON A COVER CONTRACT MUST BE QUALIFIED IN BOTH TRANSIT AND SPECIAL NEEDS. THE DRIVER MAY BID A COVER ROUTE IN TRANSIT OR SPECIAL NEEDS BUT WILL BE USED IN EITHER DEPARTMENT WHEN NEEDED TO GET ROUTES COVERED.

* SPECIAL NEEDS CONTRACTS WILL START THURSDAY, AUGUST 2ND *

AUGUST 2ND PARENT CALLS & PREPPING YOURS BUSES AUGUST 3RD WILL BE PROFICIENCIES

* TRANSIT CONTRACTS WILL START FRIDAY, AUGUST 3RD *

PREPPING YOUR BUSES

* DRY RUNS FOR ALL WILL BE MONDAY, AUGUST 6TH *

AUGUST 6TH WILL BE DRY RUNS, ROUTES WILL BE RUN ACCORDING TO YOUR ROUTE SHEETS AND SCHEDULED TIMES, DRY RUNS WILL BE TREATED AS A NORMAL WORK DAY, SO ROUTES MUST BE RUN AT THE TIMES ON THEIR ROUTE SHEET

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Drivers who Bid Routes with Bus Aides
Bus Aides
Cover Drivers
Cover Bus Aides

- NCI training will be scheduled for the 2018/2019 school year during one or more of the following breaks: Thanksgiving Break, Winter Break, or Spring Break, depending on the availability of an instructor, for all drivers who have bus aides, bus aides, cover drivers, and all cover bus aides. This will be contracted with your route.
- If you received NCI training last year you will not be eligible to take it this year and your contract will be reduced on training days.