

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.indiancreekschools.com

Notice is hereby given to taxpayers of Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation that the proper officers of Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation will conduct a public hearing on the year 2027-2031 proposed Bus Replacement Plan pursuant to IC 20-40-18. Following the public hearing, the proper officers of Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation may adopt the proposed plan as presented or with revisions.

Public Hearing Date:

Tuesday, September 8th, 2026
7:00 PM
Indian Creek Middle School LGI Room, 801 W. Indian Creek Drive, Trafalgar, IN 46181

Public Hearing Time:

Public Hearing Place:

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 2027 - 2031**

Pursuant to IC 20-40-18, Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation does hereby submit to the Department of Local Government Finance the following School Bus Replacement Plan for the five (5) year period 2027 through 2031. 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				
					2027	2028	2029	2030	2031
1	INTERNATIONAL IC	S52	C	O	226,270.00				
2	INTERNATIONAL IC	S59	C	O			273,786.70		
3	INTERNATIONAL IC	S72	C	O					
4	INTERNATIONAL IC	S75	C	O					
5	INTERNATIONAL IC	S76	C	O		248,897.00			
6	INTERNATIONAL IC	S78	C				273,786.70		
7	Chevrolet/Collins	S5	A		148,500.00				
8	Chevrolet/Collins	1	A					301,165.37	331,281.91
9	Ford/Collins	2	A						
10	Ford/Collins	3	A	O					
11	Chevrolet/Collins	4	A						
12	Chevrolet/Collins	5	A						
13	Thomas My Bus	6	A						
14	Thomas My Bus	7	A			248,897.00			
15	Thomas My Bus	8	A		148,500.00				
16	Thomas My Bus	9	A				273,786.70		
17	Ford/Collins	10	A						
18	Chevrolet/Collins	11	A						
19	INTERNATIONAL IC	51	C	O					
20	INTERNATIONAL IC	52	C	O					
21	INTERNATIONAL IC	54	C	O					
22	INTERNATIONAL IC	55	C	O					
23	INTERNATIONAL IC	56	C	O					
24	INTERNATIONAL IC	57	C	O					
25	INTERNATIONAL IC	58	C	O	226,270.00				
26	INTERNATIONAL IC	59	C	O					331,281.91
27	INTERNATIONAL IC	60	C	O					
28	INTERNATIONAL IC	61	C	O					
29	INTERNATIONAL IC	65	C	O					
30	INTERNATIONAL IC	66	C	O					
31	INTERNATIONAL IC	67	C	O					
32	INTERNATIONAL IC	68	C	O					
33	INTERNATIONAL IC	69	C	O					331,281.91
34	INTERNATIONAL IC	70	C	O					
35	INTERNATIONAL IC	71	C	O					
36	INTERNATIONAL IC	72	C	O				301,165.37	
37	INTERNATIONAL IC	73	C	O		248,897.00			
38	INTERNATIONAL IC	74	C	O					
39	INTERNATIONAL IC	75	C	O				301,165.37	
40	INTERNATIONAL IC	76	C	O					
41	INTERNATIONAL IC	77	C	O					
42	INTERNATIONAL IC	78	C	O					
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Replacement Cost Totals					749,540.00	746,691.00	821,360.10	903,496.11	993,845.72

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.

(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.)

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.)

RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A SCHOOL BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN
Budget Year 2027

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

School Corporation Name: **Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation**

County: **Johnson/Morgan**

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: **Tuesday, September 8th, 2026**

Meeting Location: **Indian Creek Middle School LGI Room, 801 W. Indian Creek Drive,
Trafalgar, IN 46181**

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees that the plan entitled "School 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: **Tuesday, October 6th, 2026**

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Attest:

Secretary of Board of School Trustees