



BOE Transportation Committee Report

Transportation

Chair: Chris Lomonaco

March 22, 2022

Start

5:55 pm

End

6:40 pm

Attendees:

Dr. David Gill, Beth Donahue, Christine Lomonaco, Judy Mitrowitz,
Sue Ticknor, and Liz Reed

We have a new driver! We had one pass his road test today and will begin working this week or at the latest next week. Very helpful, but we have one leaving and we have one out on medical.

We have looked at hourly wages but feel that we are very competitive within our local area at this time.

We talked again about block stops as opposed to door to door to save time. Something to possibly consider for next year. Keeping in mind that not all block stops would be created equal.

Staff have been working with the new routing system – it has been great to work with but summer will allow for more work.

PD/CB – will combine (pre-K to 5) run for pick-up and drop-off for next year.

We have compressed a route and will continue to look at 1 more this year. New routing software will continue to help with is.

Continuous recruitment of drivers is in the forefront.

A mailing will be distributed to all families (late spring) to determine their transportation needs for next year. We have a high number of parent/guardian drop-off and pick-up – and it will be extremely helpful to know exactly who will be riding a bus and who won't for routing purposes.