

Lowell School District 71

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District Vehicles

The Board may approve the purchase of vehicles to be used by staff for district business, including transportation services. The superintendent will develop and maintain regulations which define the appropriate use and care of district vehicles and the responsibility of district staff using those vehicles.

Following are minimal safety standards while operating district-owned vehicles:

1. The driver of any district-owned vehicle equipped with seat belts or other type of restraint for safety purposes will wear the safety belt or adjust the other type of safety device in the manner prescribed for the achievement of maximum protection in the event of a sudden stop or upon impact. The driver of the district-owned vehicle will have the seat belts or other safety device in place before the vehicle is put into motion. The safety equipment will be in place until the vehicle has been parked and the engine secured.
2. The driver of any district-owned vehicle equipped with passenger safety equipment has the responsibility to assure that all passengers in the vehicle have the safety equipment in place and secured before the vehicle is put into motion.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 341.290 \(2\)](#)
[ORS 801.455](#)
[ORS 811.210](#)
[ORS 820.105](#)
[ORS 820.110](#)
[ORS 820.120](#)

[OAR 437-002-0220 to -0227](#)

Cross Reference(s):

EIA - Insurance Programs