

**Saint Helens  
School District 502**

Code: **EEAB**  
Adopted: 2/25/02  
Readopted: 5/14/07  
Orig. Code(s): EEAB

**School Bus Scheduling and Routing**

Actual bus stops and routes will be determined by the business manager and transportation contractor and will be based upon efficiency, safety, Board policy and applicable state and federal laws and regulations.

Determination of safe roads for school bus travel will be made by the business manager and transportation contractor. School bus services will be limited to paved (black-topped or concrete), oiled or existing county and city gravel roads.

The business manager will:

1. Annually review and assess school bus routes, stops, and loading zones for safety, changing student population and supervision of students;
2. Advise parents of any changes in transportation policy affecting their children as early as possible and be responsive to parent calls for assistance in seeking alternatives to busing;
3. Work with cities, the county, and other appropriate governmental agencies on a continuing basis to inform them of transportation problems.

END OF POLICY

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**Legal Reference(s):**

[ORS 332.405](#)

[OAR 581-023-0040](#)

[OAR 581-053-0002](#)