



PROPANE BUS FLEET

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EANES INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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BACKGROUND FACTS

Students Transported Annually: 1,038,400 (all buses)
Annual school-bus mileage: 551,511 last full year (10/11)
Current annual usage of propane: 78,000 gal
School Bus Routes: 112 (all buses)

FLEET FACTS

Total School Buses:

- Propane; 25
- Diesel 29
- Unleaded 0

Total Other Vehicles: (on road only)

- Propane 0
- Diesel 9
- Gasoline 41

Refueling facilities: 1
Gallons on-site propane storage: 12,000
Years using propane: 1

PROPANE COST SAVINGS

Total savings in Federal Motor Fuel Tax credits: to be determined if program renewed for 2012

Propane Price: \$1.45/gal current
Diesel Price: \$3.34/gal current
Unleaded Price: \$3.17/gal current

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS/QUOTES

Quote: The propane buses have had a significant impact reducing our carbon footprint. The significantly lower MPG vs. diesel makes the fuel tax credit renewal critical to keep total operating costs competitive and acceptable. Reliability & performance have been good. I am proud to be part of the program. Thank you.

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