

Transportation Dept.



42 Employees; 28 Drivers, 10 Monitors, 2 Mechanics.

Where We Started



The Muskogee Public School District began transporting students to school in September of 1898. However, busing was only available to children living in rural areas up through 1960. Today the Transportation Department transports over 3,000 students daily all through our 133 square mile district. The employees consist of 28 Bus drivers, 10 bus assistants, and a number of support staff. Students are eligible to ride a school bus if they live over ½ mile from their school site, exceptions to the 1/2 mile rule are made when crossing a busy street to get to their school is a serious concern. Last year Muskogee Public Schools Transportation logged over 517,000 miles. Safely transporting students is our highest priority.

Versa-Tran Programs

1. Route Planner
2. Trip Tracker
3. Fleet Vision
4. E-Link



Versatran Route Planner

- Tracking students has been great
- Helped central enrollment with updated addresses
- Reduced route miles by 30%
- Knowing who rides what bus.
- Good information in an instant ie. Accidents
- Helps us know in a moment who and where our kids are
- Emergency Contact information

Trip Tracker - Tracking all Trips

- All trips are inputted in Trip Tracker.
- Scheduling of Buses done through TT.
- Handles all of the approval process.
- Trip billing is done through TT.
- Coaches and Staff can see their scheduled trips and approvals.

E-Link



Newest addition to our VersaTran program suite 18-19

Allows for 24/7 access to bus routing information with student ID #

Schools can look to see who is on what bus from their school site

Realtors can look up an address to see what elementary school its located in

E-Link works in conjunction with Route Planner

Fleet Vision - Keeping track of our fleet

- **Keeps track of mileage on all vehicles through fuel logs.**
 - **Annual inspections of all School Buses.**
 - **Bi-Annual Brake Inspections on all our Buses.**
 - **Preventive Maintenance (Oil, Transmission Service and Parts)**
 - **Parts Inventory (Soon)**
- **We have recently installed GPS Tracking on most of our white fleet**

Transportation – Inventory and Facts

- 32 School Buses
- 5 Activity Buses (Green Buses)
- 5 Mini-Buses (14 Passenger)
- 2 Vans
- 1 Admin Ford Focus
- 50 Support Vehicles
- We use approximately 53,000 gallons of Diesel per year.
- We use approximately 15,000 gallons of Unleaded per year.

New Buses Arriving Soon

We have received 16 Buses from our current Bond Issue over the last 3 years

The last of our past bond issue buses will be here this summer

2 Regular Ed Buses, and 1 Special Education Bus

Our needs are large looking towards the future with 10 to 12 buses needed within the next 5 years

Discipline – It's an Ongoing Issue

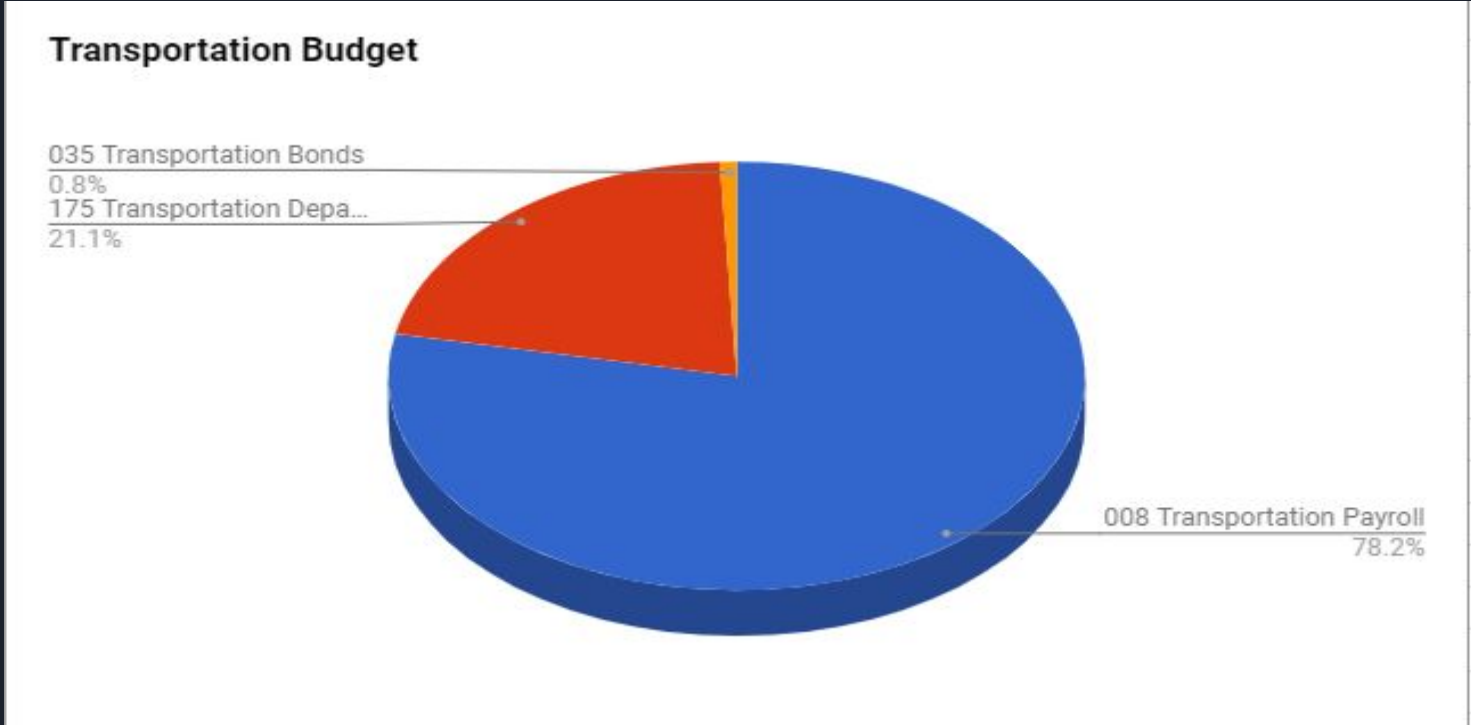
- Discipline reports are made daily by our drivers
- Principals determine disciplinary actions and they vary
- Unified matrix for discipline is needed
- The actors seem to be the same kids over and over



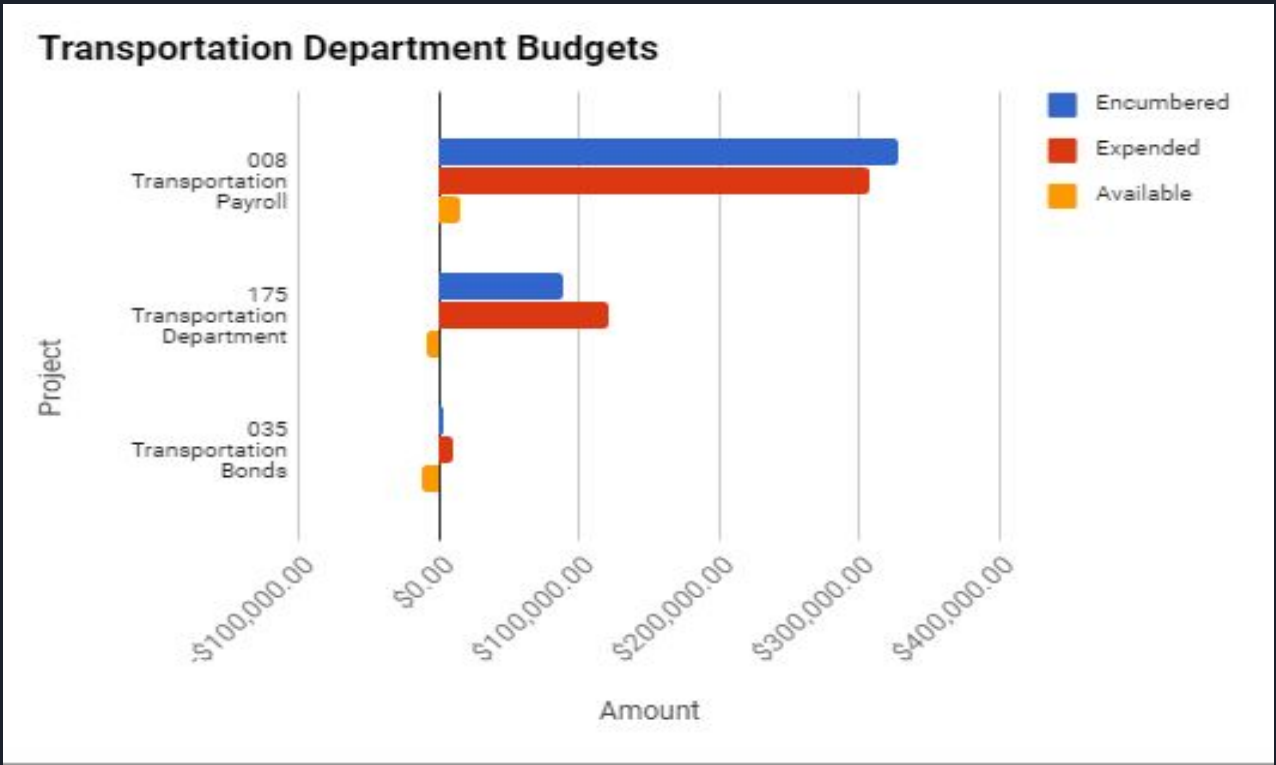
Transportation Budget

	<u>Encumbered</u>	<u>Expended</u>	<u>Available</u>
008 Transportation Payroll	\$328,179.11	\$306,738.36	\$15,082.53
175 Transportation Department	\$88,453.29	\$121,165.22	-\$9,618.51
035 Transportation Bonds	\$3,250.00	\$9,400.00	-\$12,650.00

Budget - Continued



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Where Are We Going?



Wi-Fi on all buses to continue the learning environment while students transported

Students scanning on and off the bus daily

Tracking all buses in real time

Geo Tracking our buses

Monitor key bus engine functions at office in real time

New office location on eastside of building with street parking

Better security for our office and bus lot

Building improvements

Questions, Comments or Suggestions?

Transportation is committed to hearing feedback on ways improve the Muskogee Way!

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