## JOB DESCRIPTION MOORE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Job Title: Transportation Dispatcher

Credentials: None

**Education:** High School Diploma or satisfactory completion of any General Education

Development (GED) Program

**Essential Knowledge and Skills:** General computer skills, <u>excellent</u> communication & public relations skills, able to handle multiple task easily, basic radio operating knowledge, working knowledge of area streets and surrounding area, excellent people skills, above average organizational skills.

Site: Transportation

**Reports To:** Director of Transportation

## **Job Functions:**

- 1. Interacts daily with drivers, assistants and shop employees to ensure service requirements and obligations are met.
- 2. Maintains on-time bus routes.
- 3. Communicates route assignments, emergency situations, accidents, breakdowns or any other event that will disrupt service.
- 4. Determine availability of drivers and assistants regularly assigned to routes, then assigns standby drivers and assistants where necessary.
- 5. Maintains daily attendance log, which includes person calling in, time of call, reason for absence, expected return date, etc.
- 6. Obtain daily list of out of service equipment from shop supervisor and assigns spare buses when necessary.

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- 7. Make sure drivers leave bus yard on time and all schedules are kept.
- 8. Keep a communications log and keep operations/key board current.
- 9. Handle complaints, take reports of late buses, breakdowns, accidents and report to director to prevent interruption of service, log complaints/incidents.
- 10. Coordinates with school official to insure safe, efficient and timely pupil transportation services.
- 11. Inform director of any communications, personnel, or incidents that may be (or become) problem areas and effect the daily operations.
- 12. Maintains or ensures that a master list of all routes and trips is maintained, including: a current file or set of files on each route; information needed to describe the route and its component parts (program, school, map, assigned vehicle, assigned drivers).
- 13. Assists driver with routing directions and communicates special service requirements.
- 14. Maintains current list of all available cover drivers and spare vehicles.
- 15. Coordinates emergency response network when there is a problem on a route.
- 16. Submits required reports and paperwork to the director in a timely fashion.
- 17. Reports all major problem and/or irregularities to the director.
- 18. Encourages compliance with district policies and processes. Discusses any breach of policy and procedure noted with director.
- 19. Notifies the school of all changes in route assignments, emergency situations, accidents, breakdowns or any other event that will disrupt service.
- 20. Communicate professionally and effectively with school officials, parents, students, drivers and assistants to resolve relative issues.

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21. Sets example of professional behavior by maintaining the proper attitude dress and TEAMWORK.

- 22. Search for ways to improve the department, its workplace, and informing management of these suggestions.
- 23. Obey all Federal, State, Local laws and the "policies and guidelines" of the District.
- 24. Complete special projects as assigned.

Working Conditions: Office environment.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: 200 Days

SALARY: Category D

EVALUATION: Performance of this job will be evaluated in

accordance with the provisions of Board Policy.

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