


GLASSBORO PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
GLASSBORO, NEW JERSEY

TO: Mark Silverstein  
FROM: Scott Henry   
DATE: 2/12/16  
RE: Agenda Item for February 24, 2016: Bus Replacement

Recommend the lease purchase of 24 passenger diesel bus through the Middlesex Regional Educational Services Commission (MRESC) joint purchasing consortium. List price is \$54,350. Financing will be obtained through MRESC.

**Glassboro Board of Education  
January 2016 Operations Agenda  
Analysis of Bus replacement Costs**

**Assumptions:**

Bus #6 was involved in an accident on October 6, 2015 and totalled buy our insurance carrier.

District received \$4,000 as payment.

Bus was 16 Passenger Diesel with approximately 200,000 miles

7 Year lease purchase

per diem rental cost \$200

**Replacement Bus**

**Option #1**

**Bus Capacity:** 24

**Engine Option:** Diesel

**Option #2**

**Bus Capacity:** 24

**Engine Option:** Propane

**Cost to Purchase Replacement Bus:**

**Base Price:** \$ 43,600.00 **Base Price:** \$ 69,182.00

**Diesel Option** \$ 10,750.00

**Total Cost** \$ 54,350.00 **Total Cost** \$ 69,182.00

**Annual Lease Purchase Cost** \$ 7,764.29 **\$ 9,883.14**  
(7 Years)

**Usefull Life of Bus:** 15 Years 15 Years

**Pay Back Period**

**Fuel Efficiency (MPG or DGE)** 10.00 10.00

**Fuel Cost per October 2015**  
**Alternative Fuels Report** 2.73 2.25  
**Cost Differential per Gal.** (0.48)

**Yearly Fuel Consumption:**  
**200 days @ 5 Gal./DGE per day** 1,000.00 1,000.00

**Yearly Fuel Cost** 2,730.00 2,250.00  
**Fuel Usage Differential (gal.)** (480.00)

**Incremental Fuel Savings:** 230.40

**Payback Period (Years)** 64.38

Pay back period may be shortened slightly due to reduced maintenance costs  
For example longer oil change intervals and reduced tire wear.

DGE= Diesel Gallon Equivalents