

# WAKE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION Work Session

**PRECIS** 

#### SUBJECT/TOPIC

REVIEW OF WCPSS TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT AND PROPOSAL FOR RECOMMENDED CHANGES

# DEPARTMENT, BOARD/STAFF LIAISON(S), AND ANY PRESENTERS FROM OUTSIDE THE DISTRICT

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#### BACKGROUND

The beginning of the 2012-13 school year was impacted by significant problems associated with the transportation of students on yellow buses. Although most of the problems associated with the opening of the school year have now been addressed, many of the root issues underlying the symptomatic problems have not. In addition to aggressively hiring more bus drivers, a detailed review of the department's organizational structure has been conducted. Staff will present an overview of the departments current organization structure, dating back to the mid-1980's, and present a proposal for recommended changes to align the structure of the transportation department to the requirements associated with managing yellow bus transportation for a district with 169 school sites and 150,000 students.

#### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Funding is available to support the proposal for recommended changes.

## **SAVINGS**

N/A

## NEXT STEPS / RECOMMENDATIONS

Presentation is for information purposes only at this time with board consideration of action at a future board meeting.

