

LODI UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

REVIEWED

Policy 3543.1

Business and Non-Instructional Operations

Inclement Weather and Adverse Driving Conditions

The Board of Education is authorized by Vehicle Code 3451.6 to adopt procedures that limit the operation of school buses when atmospheric conditions reduce visibility on the roadway to 200 feet or less during regular home-to-school transportation service. Operational policies for bus drivers for school activity trips shall have the authority to discontinue bus operation whenever they determine that it is unsafe to continue operations because of reduced visibility.

If at any time, regularly scheduled bus routes and special trips may be delayed or cancelled because of either adverse or unsafe driving conditions, the decision to operate must be based upon safety factors, welfare of students and information reported by Transportation Staff to the Transportation Director.

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