SCHOOL BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN
FOR THE YEARS 2027 - 2031

Pursuant to IC 20-40-18, **Sunman-Dearborn Community School Corporation** does hereby submit to the Department of Local Government Finance the following School Bus Replacement Plan for the five (5) year period 2027 through 20319. This plan is based upon the presumption that the minimum useful life of a school bus is not less than twelve (12) years.

SECTION I
Replacement Cost of Bus/Vehicle During Specific Year

	Bus Description	Corp ID Number	Type of Bus/Vehicle per DOE "TN"	Owned or Leased	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031
1	2015 Thomas	91	D	Owned	$200,000				
2	2015 Chevrolet	SPV-AA	activity	Owned		$120,000			
3	2015 Chevrolet	SPV-BE2	activity	Owned		$120,000			
4	2015 Thomas	89	C	Owned			$200,000		
5	2016 Thomas	92	D	Owned				$220,000	
6	2016 Thomas	SPV-D	activity	Owned				$135,000	
7	2017 Thomas	83	C	Owned					
8	2017 Thomas	85	C	Owned					
9	2017 Thomas	87	C	Owned					
10	2018 Chevrolet	SPV-E	activity	Owned					
11	2018 Thomas	62	D	Owned					
12	2018 Thomas	98	C	Owned					
13	2019 Bluebird	86	C	Owned					
14	2019 Thomas	SPV-C	activity	Owned					
15	2019 Thomas	SPV-F	activity	Owned					
16	2019 Thomas	41	D	Owned					
17	2022 Thomas	14	D	Owned					
18	2022 Thomas	84	A	Owned					
19	2022 Thomas	81	A	Owned					
20	2023 Thomas	ACT-1	D	Owned					
21	2023 GMC	SPV-EE	activity	Owned					
22	2023 GMC	SPV-A	activity	Owned					
23	2025 Thomas	82	C	Owned					
24	2026 GMC	SPV-SE1	activity	Owned					
25	2026 GMC	SPV-B	activity	Owned					
26	2026 Thomas	88	C	Owned					
				Replacement Cost Totals		$240,000	$200,000	$355,000	

Note: Additional sheets may be added if necessary.

SECTION II

JUSTIFICATION FOR ADDITIONAL BUS PURCHASES, TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, AND/OR EARLY BUS REPLACEMENT

1. Pursuant to IC 20-40-18-9(b)(2), if the School Corporation is seeking to (A) acquire or (B) contract for transportation services that will provide for additional school buses or buses with a larger seating capacity as compared to the number and type of school buses from the prior school year, explain for each additional bus and the circumstances of the demand for increased transportation services within the School Corporation. Clause (B) does not apply if contracted transporation services are not paid from the Operations Fund.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

2. Pursuant to IC 20-40-18-9(b)(3), if the School Corporation is seeking to replace an existing school bus earlier than twelve (12) years after the existing school bus was originally acquired or requires a contractor to replace a school bus, explain for each bus the circumstances for that need. This subdivision does not apply if contracted transporation services are not paid from the Operations Fund.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

SCHOOL BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN AMENDMENT

If the school corporation is submitting an amended plan, please complete the following questions.

1. Declare the nature of and the need for the amendment.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

2. Show cause as to why the original plan no longer meets the needs of the school corporation.

(Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

RESOLUTION TO ADOPT BUS REPLACEMENT PLAN
Budget Year 2027

This resolution is adopted by the Board of Trustees of the School Corporation below:

School Corporation Name:	Sunman-Dearborn Community School Corporation
County:	Dearborn/Ripley

WHEREAS, A School Bus Replacement Plan has been established; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees is required under IC 20-40-18-9 to adopt a plan for the School Bus Replacement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees held a public hearing on the plan date and place below:

Meeting Date:	September 10, 2026
Meeting Location:	East Central High School Boardroom 1 Trojan Place Suite A, St. Leon, IN 47012

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees that the plan entitled "Bus Replacement Plan" this resolution, and is adopted as the Board of Trustees' Plan with respect to the School Bus Replacement Plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees shall submit a certified copy of this resolution to the Department of Local Government Finance as required by IC 20-40-18-9.

Adoption Date:	October 1, 2026

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Attest: _____ Secretary of Board of School Trustees