Board Update – Durham School Services

**Relationship with District**
- Complete transparency
- At minimum weekly in-person meetings

**Employee Updates**
- **New General Manager**
  - Steve Steel
- **Drivers**
  - 85 incumbents from First Student
  - 22 non-CDL drivers in training
  - TDY Drivers: 20 - 25
- **Driver Pay**
  - Starting wage $23.44
  - New Driver sign-on bonus
    - CDL driver: $5,000
    - Non CDL driver: $2,000 plus paid training
    - Labor negotiations in progress

**Fleet Updates**
- 143 new buses delivered
- All unleaded fuel
- **Additional Safety Features**
  - Wireless camera system
  - Lytx DriveCam® data collection tool
- **Fleet Inspection Results**
  - 134 buses inspected
  - 9 placed out of service with minor failures, seven of which have been repaired, reinspected and stickered, remaining 2 at dealer

**Facilities Information**
- **New facilities**
  - 3319 Industrial Avenue, Fairbanks
    - 10k gallon above-ground fuel tank
    - Accommodations for 70 buses in doors
    - New covered parking structure
  - 1995 Badger Road, North Pole
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