

# Minutes

Tuesday, May 2, 2023

In-Person & Zoom

**Time Present:**

John Coderre  
Amy Berdos  
Chris Gallagher  
Dennis Keefe  
Jay Mahoney (remote)  
George Samia  
Marle Almodovar  
Bill Yukna

**Minutes:**

1:00 PM A Approved minutes from March 4, 2023 and March 8, 2023.

**Presentations & Discussion:**

1:05 PM B Additional school bus purchase from FY23 School Budget  
Bill Yukna - presentation and discussion of School Buses  
2 busses were approved through CIP, 1 through the School's Operating Budget  
FY23 - 100% reimbursement for \$350,000 - Circuit Breaker

2023, no gas engine busses being built. New engines being developed, bus specs won't be available until 2024 and 2025  
4 busses total, potentially before September 2023

Dennis Keefe - Electric buses?  
Bill noted Foxborough 50% reimbursement, \$400,000 still paying more than gas engines  
Bill noted electric grid is just not there yet

Jay Mahoney - Is there a 5th bus that needs to be replaced?  
Bill, \$116,950  
Jay, Is there any funding for a 5th available?  
Bill, no real way to fund it

John Coderre - Replacement schedule?  
Bill, 3 per year, these 4 get Schools on schedule with potentially being behind

1:30 PM Motion to approve additional School bus purchase by Amy Berdos, Seconded by Chris Gallagher.  
Board voted unanimously In favor by roll call.

Motion to Adjourn.