



## ***Criteria for Vehicle Replacement*** **WASATCH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

### **Purpose**

To ensure safe, reliable, and cost-effective transportation for students and staff, the District establishes criteria for evaluating when district-owned vehicles should be considered for replacement or disposal.

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### **Criteria for Vehicle Replacement**

A district-owned vehicle will be recommended for replacement if **any** of the following conditions are met:

1. **Mileage Threshold**
  - The vehicle has exceeded **100,000 miles** of documented use.
2. **Age Threshold**
  - The vehicle is **15 years or older** from the date of manufacture.
3. **Safety Concerns**
  - The vehicle fails to meet current safety standards or has been involved in incidents that compromise structural integrity.
4. **Maintenance and Repair Costs**
  - Annual maintenance/repair costs exceed **30% of the vehicle's current fair market value**, or
  - The vehicle has had multiple major repairs (e.g., transmission, engine, brake system) within a 24-month period.
5. **Operational Reliability**
  - The vehicle has had repeated breakdowns that disrupt district operations or present risk to staff/students.
6. **Compliance**
  - The vehicle no longer meets federal/state emissions standards or cannot be made compliant at reasonable cost.