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Dear Parents and Guardians,

In December of 2023, Warren Woods Public Schools announced the adoption of an innovative mobile device app and website entitled; *Here Comes the Bus*<sup>®</sup>. We have continued to make revisions to our processes to ensure more accurate information and want to encourage you to download the app to better track and stay informed regarding our buses.

*Here Comes the Bus*<sup>®</sup> allows you to view the real-time location of your student's school bus on your smartphone, tablet, or computer. With it, you will have the information you need regarding the location of your student's school bus. In addition, you'll have peace of mind knowing your student has not missed the bus. *Here Comes the Bus*<sup>®</sup> enables you to:

- See the location of your student's bus both before and after school.
- Confirm that your student's bus has arrived at the bus stop, at school or both.
- Receive a push notification or email message when the bus is near your stop, has been substituted, or when Warren Woods Public Schools has important information to relay.

Here Comes the Bus<sup>®</sup> is powered by Synovia Solutions<sup>™</sup>, makers of the GPS-tracking technology, created to increase safety and efficiencies as it relates to Warren Woods Public Schools bus fleet. The Here Comes the Bus<sup>®</sup> app can be downloaded from the App Store or Google Play.

To sign up or learn more about *Here Comes the Bus*<sup>®</sup>, visit <u>www.herecomesthebus.com</u>. When you're enrolling, you will need Warren Woods Public Schools District Code (30085) and your student's ID number.

Should you have any questions, please contact the WWPS Transportation Department at <u>Ekorte@mywwps.org</u> or by calling (586) 439-4975.

If you need to contact *Here Comes the Bus*<sup>®</sup> customer support, please go to:

<u>https://help.herecomesthebus.com/en/support/solutions/articles/22000203906-contact-support</u>. You will be asked to provide the following information:

- Email address used for your Here Comes the Bus<sup>®</sup> account.
- 5-digit School Code, which is 30085
- Description of the question you have for their support team.

Sincerely,

Stacey Denewith-Fici Superintendent

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In compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and the Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act of 1977, it is the policy of the Warren Woods School District that no person shall, on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, gender/sex, age, disability, height, weight, or marital status be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination during any program or activity or in employment. For information, contact (586) 439-4401.