## LINE MOUNTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: USE OF BICYCLES/MOTOR

**VEHICLES** 

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	223. USE OF BICYCLES AND MOTOR VEHICLES
1. Purpose	The Board regards the use of bicycles and motor vehicles for travel to and from school by students as an assumption of responsibility by parents and students.
2. Authority	The Board may permit the use of bicycles by students in grades 6 through 12 in accordance with district rules, provided that students have been granted permission by the building principal and have obtained parental permission to ride a bicycle to school.
	The Board shall permit the use of motor vehicles by secondary students in accordance with district rules, provided that such students are licensed drivers, have followed established procedures, obtained the required permit, and have parental permission when they are minors.
	The Board shall not be responsible for bicycles or motor vehicles that are lost, stolen, or damaged.
3. Delegation of Responsibility	The building principal or designee shall develop rules and regulations for operating and parking of bicycles and motor vehicles and shall disseminate those rules to affected students.
	The rules and regulations developed shall be consistent with this policy and this policy shall supersede any rules and regulations inconsistent therewith.
	The building principal or designee shall establish standards for granting permits, which contain the warning that infraction of rules may result in revocation of the permit.
4. Guidelines	All students driving to school must have parental/guardian permission to do so if they are minors that are licensed to drive.
	Students must register the vehicle to be driven with the high school office. Such registration at minimum shall include license number, make, model, and year of vehicle.

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Parking shall be permitted only in the assigned spaces. It may be limited only to those areas so defined.

Specific traffic regulations are the responsibility of the building principal.

Such regulations shall include speed limits, stops, one-way lanes, restriction of driving/parking to staff, authorized students, and visitors and special parking areas for staff, visitors, and students.

The school administration shall rescind permission for any student to drive or park on school property who drives unsafely or who does not observe the school's traffic or parking regulations. Permission may also be denied for violation of traffic laws or school rules (by driver and/or passenger) while enroute to or from school or any related school activity.

It also is the responsibility of the school administration to prohibit students from driving if their action is of a nature which:

- 1. Interferes with the instructional purpose of the school.
- 2. Attracts undue attention which is disruptive to normal school operation.
- 3. Is a safety hazard to students.
- 4. Is a safety hazard and abnormal nuisance to the general citizens and area property owners.

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The Board will permit a student to drive alone to any educational facility other than the Line Mountain High School (e.g. technical schools, alternative education programs, etc.) during the instructional day when:

- 1. Parental permission is granted for their student to go to work immediately after school.
- 2. Employer writes a statement specifying the days of the week and the time the student is expected to arrive at work.
- 3. Student presents an original to be copied of:
  - a. Driver's license.
  - b. Vehicle insurance card.

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c. Worker's Permit.
4. The high school principal reviews 1, 2 and 3 and gives written acceptance to the parent.
All other students shall be transported by district transportation.