

AUTHORIZATION FOR SCHOOL BUS TRAVEL ON PRIVATE PROPERTY



NAME: _____
Homeowner Association / Private Owner / Etc.

Street Address

City, State, Zip Code

TO: **BOARD OF EDUCATION
BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS**

ATTN: **DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION
BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS**

1. _____
(HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION OR PROPERTY OWNER)

HEREBY GRANT(S) OR DENIES THE BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS THE AUTHORITY TO OPERATE SCHOOL BUSES FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRANSPORTING CHILDREN TO/FROM BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS, ON THE FOLLOWING STREETS OWNED BY THE FORENAMED AND WHICH ARE PRIVATELY MAINTAINED:

LIST ABOVE THE HOUSING AREA OR DEVELOPMENT NAME INCLUDING EACH STREET / ROAD / DRIVE WITH ADDRESS NUMBERS AUTHORIZED FOR TRAVEL

2. **I/WE CERTIFY THAT NO BRIDGES OF ANY KIND MUST BE CROSSED TO TRAVEL ON THE FORENAMED STREETS. IF A TEMPORARY BRIDGE OF ANY KIND MUST BE CONSTRUCTED, WE AGREE TO NOTIFY THE BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION, AT 946-6209, OF SUCH INTENDED CONSTRUCTION AT LEAST 3 DAYS BEFORE CONSTRUCTION BEGINS. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE WILL RESULT IN TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT SUSPENSION OF PART OR ALL OF THIS AGREEMENT.**
3. **I/WE AGREE THAT BUSES WILL BE ROUTED ON AUTHORIZED RIGHT OF WAYS THAT HAVE A MINIMUM SPEED LIMIT POSTING OF 25 MILES PER HOUR OR HIGHER.**
4. **I/WE SHALL MAKE NO CLAIM AGAINST THE BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM FOR DAMAGES TO THE ROADS, STREETS, CURBS, OR GUTTERS CAUSED BY THE OPERATION OF SCHOOL BUSES UPON THE FORENAMED STREETS FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRANSPORTING CHILDREN TO/FROM SCHOOL. I/WE ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY TO MAINTAIN THESE STREETS IN SATISFACTORY**

CONDITION. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT IF WE DO NOT MAINTAIN THESE STREETS IN A SATISFACTORY CONDITION, THIS AGREEMENT MAY BE TEMPORARILY OR PERMANENTLY SUSPENDED.

- 5. I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION MAY SUSPEND SCHOOL BUS OPERATIONS ON ONE OR MORE OF THE FORENAMED STREET OR ROADS SHOULD A SAFETY CONDITION ARISE WHICH WOULD IMPAIR SAFE SCHOOL BUS OPERATIONS OR CAUSE EQUIPMENT DAMAGE TO THE BUS. IT IS ALSO UNDERSTOOD THAT NORTH CAROLINA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, TITLE 16, CHAPTER 6, SUBCHAPTER 6B, PARAGRAPH .004 BUS ROUTES, SUBPARAGRAPHS (B) AND (C) APPLIES TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SCHOOL BUS STOPS ON THE FORENAMED STREETS.

- 6. I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOLS DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION AGREES THAT SCHOOL BUSES SHALL BE OPERATED IN A NORMAL, CAREFUL, SAFE MANNER, ACCORDING TO THE SAME MANNER OF OPERATION AS IS APPLICABLE TO OPERATION OF SCHOOL BUSES ON ALL BEAUFORT COUNTY APPROVED STATE/CITY/COUNTY MAINTAINED ROADS/STREETS.

- 7. THIS AGREEMENT REMAINS IN EFFECT UNLESS THE DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION INVOKES TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT SUSPENSION UNDER PARAGRAPH 2 OR 4 ABOVE OR, UNTIL THE DAY AFTER I/WE DELIVER WRITTEN CANCELLATION NOTICE TO THE DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION.

BY AUTHORITY OF _____.

(NOTE: WHEN THE SIGNATURE BELOW IS NOT THE PROPERTY OWNER, THE SIGNER MUST PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF HIS/HER LEGAL REPRESENTATION OF THE FORENAMED ADDRESS.)

SIGNED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20

SIGNATURE _____

TYPED NAME OF SIGNING OFFICIAL

TITLE/OFFICE

ADDRESS

TELEPHONE NUMBER

APPROVED/DISAPPROVED DATE: _____

COMMENT (S): _____

JEFFERY C. MILLER
DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION

