

PROCLAMATION

2015 SCHOOL BUS SAFETY WEEK

WHEREAS, yellow school buses are the safest possible vehicles for children according to state and national data; and

WHEREAS, the Culpeper County Public Schools Transportation Department is committed to providing a safe, crash-free environment for the public school bus riders in Culpeper County, who travel daily on our roadways; and

WHEREAS, the exemplary safety performance exhibited each day by school bus operators on the roads of Culpeper County ensures the highest level of safety for other motorists and student riders; and

WHEREAS, local citizens and organizations are encouraged to support student and traffic safety activities associated with National School Bus Safety Week, October 19-23, 2015; and

WHEREAS, motorists must remember to stop when a school bus has stopped with its stop arms extended and red lights flashing; and

WHEREAS, motorists should continue to be reminded about their role in ensuring the safety of children who are walking, bicycling, and getting off and on school buses; and

WHEREAS, during National School Bus Safety Week everyone is reminded to keep out a watchful eye for students going to and from school and to take extra precautions around students and school buses.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Culpeper County School Board recognizes School Bus Safety Week during the week of October 19-23, 2015.

Adopted this 12th day of October 2015

Anthony S. Brads, Ed.D., Superintendent

Elizabeth S. Hutchins, Chair