

## Collinsville ISD ----- Board Report ----- November 15, 2004

The Collinsville ISD Board of Trustees met in regular session on November 15. The major agenda item for the board centered on a review of the district's fleet of vehicles and current needs of the transportation and maintenance department. The board directed the administration to explore possible solutions for the current need of a vehicle for the maintenance department, including possible repairs for the current vehicle.

The administration also reviewed the current fleet of buses with the board. The district currently operates seven buses, with three used daily for routes. The oldest bus in the fleet is a 1990 Bluebird diesel with approximately 150,000 miles. The administration briefed the board on plans to acquire a new bus this spring and move the oldest bus to backup status. This bus would then be used only as a backup for route buses that are out of service for repairs. The administration hopes to have this bus on line for the 2005-2006 school year.

As a matter of discussion the board reviewed goals and a needs assessment instrument that is being completed by all members of the board. Once completed, the instrument will aid the board in developing an action plan for board for their goals and future development activities.