



SCHOOL DISTRICT 78 FRASER-CASCADE

EVERYONE PULLING TOGETHER

Nov. 23, 2021, 8:00pm

Dear SD78 Staff,

Re: Travel restrictions on Hwy 7 between Mission and Hope

Please note that the Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure has updated the highway restrictions for Highway #7 between Mission, Agassiz and Hope due to excessive traffic congestion.

Effective 8:00 pm this evening (until further notice), transportation along this route is limited to public transit, commercial vehicles transporting essential goods and school buses. While this adds another layer of complexity to our current situation, it should alleviate our staff members' extensive travel delays getting to/from work. Note that Highway #1 west of Chilliwack and Highway #9 from Agassiz to Rosedale are not affected at this time.

Bus transportation is being provided for all staff situated in Abbotsford, Aldergrove, Langley, Mission, Surrey and Burnaby. Please carpool (if possible) to Lepp Farm market in Abbotsford (transportation schedule and address below). We have permission to park our vehicles there during the day.

Transportation schedule:

- **Depart Lepp's 6:45 am** -----arrive AEES 7:45 am (approx). Shuttle to schools from there.
- Depart AEES 3:45 pm ----- arrive Lepp's 5:00 pm (approx)
(note – staff will be shuttled back to AEES for 3:45 pm departure)

I appreciate your ongoing flexibility as we navigate an ongoing complex situation in our Province.

I will see you on the bus!

Balan Moorthy
Superintendent of Schools

Lepp Farm Market: www.leppfarmmarket.com/
33955 Clayburn (Abbotsford) – just off Hwy 11 (between Abbotsford & Mission)