

August 28, 2024

Good afternoon Jamul-Dulzura families,

Earlier today I notified transportation families about two recent incidents involving our school buses on Highway 94. Both incidents involved people either trying to stop or board a bus at a bus stop.

First I want to say thank you to our bus drivers for keeping our students safe and to the parents who helped to ensure the bus was not boarded.

We have been in contact with Border Patrol, the Sheriff's Office, and CHP throughout the day. In addition, multiple news organizations and Representative Darrel Issa's office have reached out.

We will continue to work with law enforcement on the matter. We have put additional protocols in place and notified parents of bus riders.

This afternoon, our Director of Transportation followed the buses to ensure everyone got home safely.

I am thankful to our community for keeping their eyes open and being a part of the solution.

JDUSD is committed to keeping our students, families, and staff safe at all times.

If you have any questions, please reach out to me

Sincerely, Liz Bystedt Superintendent