



Transportation

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Organization: Concern parent
Meeting: Finance and Infrastructure
Agenda: Safety of our children
Position: Oppose

Dear Department Of Education,

My (2) two sons attend Nanakuli & Intermediate High School an 8th grader and a 10th grader, my 8th grader has transportation to and from school however my 10th grader doesn't, that truly doesn't make any sense. Per the transportation guidelines it reflects that any student living over 1.5 miles from Nanakuli & Intermediate High School is approved/authorized to qualify for such services "Transportation". We live in series 7 Hawaiian Homestead which is 1.7 miles from Nanakuli & Intermediate High School which meets these criteria. Furthermore, after talking with the Nanakuli & Intermediate High School advisers, they stated that they issued every high school student a Holo card to take care of transportation. I mentioned to them that the bus service goes up onto Nanakuli Ave, and circles to Haleakala Ave to Farrington Hwy heading towards Makaha and back. At no way does it go to series 7 unless you do a transfer heading eastbound which puts my son farther away.

While growing up and living in Nanakuli for over 55+ years, the growing of fatality increases dramatically every year, while crossing the streets. I am very concerned about this matter and hoping that the Department Of Education will solve this concern. Lastly, I am putting the Department Of Education fully responsible in this matter if any fatality happens to either of my sons. Thanking you in advance in this matter.

My email is attached, please respond to this email.

Mahalo Nui Loa,
Concern parent