



**2025-26 MSBO Aggregate Bus Purchasing Program
Comments and Clarifications Submitted
By
Hoekstra Transportation, Inc.**

General Clarifications

- Hoekstra Transportation is pleased to offer a variety of special financing and leasing programs. Contact the dealer for details.
- Hoekstra Transportation reserves the right to pass on manufacturer surcharges that arise during the bid period. Examples of these would be Steel Surcharges, Tariffs, Emissions Charges, etc.
- Hoekstra Transportation reserves the right to pass along any Manufacturers Incentive Discounts that may arise during the program period.
- Payment is due at time of delivery for each unit. Due to supply chain and production delays, orders with multiple units may not complete at the same time.
- Not all options are compatible, and it may be possible to select options that do not work together. Hoekstra Transportation will not be responsible for an order placed that have conflicting specification content that is not compliant with manufacturers standards. We encourage schools to work directly with the dealer prior to ordering to ensure option compliance.

All Models

- ProHeat X45 heater is no longer available. Bid is ProHeat PH0375-X30 heater. This includes the heater, enclosure box, installation kit, and timer.
- All buses ordered under this program will include a **Seven Year Allison Transmission Warranty** at no cost to the customer.

Special Needs

- **Option B126: Carrier AC126K** is not available with a front lift door.
- **Option B861: Frost Free Entrance Door Upper** and **Option B862: Frost Free Entrance Door Lower** – Includes full length frost free glass. Must select both options.
- **Floor Track Options** include STARS Seat Mounting and SNC Pucks for WC Locations.

Conventional

- Floor track and track mounted seats must be ordered separately.



- **Floor Track Options** include STARS Seat Mounting and SNC Pucks for WC Locations.
- **Option: All Wheelchair entry door with lift;** includes deletion of two (2) passenger seats.
- When selecting the option to downgrade to one roof hatch for the 71/72 passenger models, option B290: Increase Emergency Exit Windows must also be selected.
- **Option B126: Carrier AC126K** is not available with a front lift door.
- **Option B540: 2 Seat Belts per seat entire bus** – reduces the seat width to 36”.
- **Option B861: Frost Free Entrance Door Upper** and **Option B862: Frost Free Entrance Door Lower** – Includes full length frost free glass. Must select both options.

Front Engine Transit

- **Option: Route hoses under side emergency door;** is standard when the option for left side exit door is selected.
- **Option B240 and B241 Crossing Gate Arm;** Stow bracket unavailable on EF Transit. These are secured by magnet.
- **Option B861: Frost Free Entrance Door Upper** and **Option B862: Frost Free Entrance Door Lower** – Includes full length frost free glass. Must select both options.
- **Option B540: 2 Seat Belts per seat entire bus** – reduces the seat width to 36”.

Rear Engine Transit

- **Option B861: Frost Free Entrance Door Upper** and **Option B862: Frost Free Entrance Door Lower** – Includes full length frost free glass. Must select both options.

EV Conventional

- Air O/O entrance door is not available on an EV Bus.
- **Option: All Wheelchair entry door with lift;** includes deletion of two (2) passenger seats.
- **Option B540: 2 Seat Belts per seat entire bus** – reduces the seat width to 36”.
- **Option B861: Frost Free Entrance Door Upper** and **Option B862: Frost Free Entrance Door Lower** – Includes full length frost free glass. Must select both options.
- **Options B850-854: Restraints** are all Slide-N-Click in an EV Bus.
- **Floor Track Options** include STARS Seat Mounting and SNC Pucks for WC Locations.