

Business Solutions

Increased Accountability with Actsoft's Comet Tracker

Company Profile

A school transportation department is responsible for providing students a safe mode of transportation for all school-related activities throughout the school year.

Challenges

The transportation department had no way to verify the exact whereabouts of buses once they had left the depot for their daily scheduled routes. Parent complaints were rising about buses not picking up students on time which resulted in safety concerns.

The transportation department and families alike wanted a way to track bus location. A real-time way to monitor students' locations was greatly needed.

Solution

Actsoft's Comet Tracker was the perfect business solution for the county school transportation department. The small handset devices, mounted in secure lock boxes, was the most cost-effective solution that would provide accurate GPS tracking for the buses. **Securing the device in the hard mounted lock box ensured a consistent power source for the device, guaranteeing that the bus would be tracking at all times.**

**"Parental complaints are virtually non-existent because they know we are tracking our buses."
-Transportation Department Director**



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Benefits

Comet Tracker's accurate GPS tracking has significantly improved the way the transportation department conducts business. From employee accountability to bus safety, Comet Tracker plays a fundamental role in daily operations. Each bus driver knows that his or her bus is being tracked for scheduling accuracy.

In addition to locating buses on the map, importing landmarks for scheduled stops such as schools or neighborhoods has really helped bus driving procedures. **This procedure allows monitoring of each bus schedule and proactively notifies school officials in the event of a problem.**

Comet Tracker's history reports have proven to be a valuable coaching tool for the bus drivers. The reports show actual route driven versus route scheduled, as well as time spent at each landmark. In addition, history reports have been used to assist with parental complaints where it was thought that the bus was not at a scheduled location.

