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National School Transportation Association Awards 2013 Green Fleet Certifications

TULSA, OK- The National School Transportation Association's Green Fleet Coalition awarded twelve locational Green Fleet Certifications and one Nationwide Green Fleet Certification at the Annual Meeting & Convention in Tulsa, Oklahoma on July 23, 2013.

The Green Fleet Certification program was developed in 2010 to help member fleets both strive to achieve and obtain recognition for environmental stewardship in the management of their fleets. It recognizes NSTA members for their efforts in working toward a cleaner environment thru the use of available technologies as well as investing in the latest new bus technology.

Durham Transportation received Platinum Certification for the following ten locations: Aurora, IL; Bridge Creek, OK; Burnsville, MN; Central Dauphin, PA; Framingham, MA; Lakewood, NJ; Louisburg, KS; Milwaukee, WI; Norwalk, CT; and San Bernardino, CA.

GO Riteway Transportation Group received Gold level certification for their company nationwide and Durham Transportation had two locations qualify for Gold: Jacksonville, FL; and Memphis, TN.

For 2013 the certification program was amended to reflect changing fleet profiles and evolving Federal EPA emission standards. NSTA is pleased that the EPA's Clean School Bus USA has exclusively endorsed the NSTA Green School Bus certification process and that the following school bus operations are being recognized for their investment in clean diesel technologies.

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About NSTA:

The National School Transportation Association has been the voice of private school bus contractors, manufacturers and suppliers for more than 40 years. The association provides school transportation professionals with the tools and resources they need to make school buses safe, affordable, and efficient nationwide. Additional questions can be sent to Megan Benfatti at MBenfatti@yellowbuses.org. Offices are at 122 South Royal Street, Alexandria, VA 22314. Phone: 703-684-3200. Fax: 703-684-3212. Email: www.yellowbuses.org.