Driving The Dream

**Our Need**
Our nearly 3-decade old existing bus (circa 1994 to be exact) needs to be replaced ASAP. We can either lease a new bus (~$3,000 per month) or purchase a used one similar to what you see in the picture. The cost of this model with around 30,000 miles is ~$85,000.

**Our Why**
Safe, reliable transportation is critical to our youth programming. We use the bus to take kids on field trips throughout the year, gather them for “Super Saturdays” and pick them up at their schools to bring them to the Dream Center for after-school tutoring and homework assistance.

**Making The Grade**
Our marquee program is education, which primarily serves kindergarten through the eighth grade. We help at-risk students reach grade-level performance in reading and math. The bus increases attendance and engagement in our after-school classes and summer camps.

**Our Success Story**
In June 2022, we presented our very first Dream Center college scholarships to five graduating seniors who grew up participating in our youth sports and education programs. They’re attending Rogers State, Langston, Northeastern Oklahoma A&M, Duke and North Carolina.

**From Bus To Billboard**
Our bus is a big giant canvas. We’re open to putting company logos on it to make our wheels a mobile billboard that benefits your business as we drive around town and to major events. We can also make a big media splash about putting “your show” on the road.

**Let’s Talk Today**
This is an urgent need. We’d be honored to discuss any amounts of funding to help cover our purchase price and operational costs. Please call or text Executive Director Tim Newton at 918.510.5773 or Development Director Kelly Swan at 918.629.1037. Thanks!