Dear Parent or Caregiver,

As a caregiver, you have tremendous influence on your child’s safety. Our children’s development begins at home — and so does their safety knowledge.

Our most important responsibility as adults is to teach our children how to be safe.

Through my office, the Toby Tire School Bus Program teaches kids to be safe in their travels to and from school. Please review Toby Tire’s School Bus Safety Tips on the other side of this card with your child.

I’m proud of our record of school bus safety. With your help we can assure safe travels for our future — the children who one day will guide this great country of ours.

Jesse White
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Secretary of State
1. Stay three giant steps away from the roadway while you wait for your bus.

2. If the bus is already leaving when you get to the bus stop, LET IT GO! Never chase the bus. If you miss the bus, go to a SAFE PLACE and call your school, parent or caregiver.

3. Stay away from strangers. Tell your driver if a stranger bothers you at your bus stop.

4. Never go under the bus. If you drop something and it falls under the bus, LET IT GO!

5. Once you are on your bus, stay in your seat until it's time to get off. THE SAFEST PLACE ON YOUR BUS IS IN YOUR SEAT.

6. ALWAYS LOOK BOTH WAYS WHEN CROSSING THE STREET.

7. If you cross immediately after you get off your bus, MAKE SURE YOU LOOK BOTH WAYS. Vehicles are required to stop for a bus. However, DON'T TAKE CHANCES!

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