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Jordan School District Battles Bad Air Inversion

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Knowing the impact the Salt Lake Valley's recent record-breaking bad air has had on children and our community, Jordan School District is stepping up to help clean things up when it comes to the air we breathe. Two actions by the District are making a significant difference.

- 1. The installation of boiler controls in nine schools has dramatically reduced fossil fuels used to heat those buildings, in turn reducing pollutants released into the air.
- 2. The District has recently increased the number of CNG buses, bringing the fleet to 71 natural gas school buses, more than any other district in the state.

TAKE A LOOK AT THE DRAMATIC DECREASE IN THE AMOUNT OF POLLUTANTS RELEASED INTO THE AIR BY JORDAN DISTRICT ALONE.

- Carbon dioxide 2.25 million pounds
- Carbon monoxide 271 pounds
- Nitrogen oxide 8,508 pounds
- Sulfur dioxide 23,888.5 pounds
- Particulates 1,713.6 pounds
- Mercury
 0.1491 pounds

In addition to the cleaner air, taxpayer savings from these initiatives amounts to more than \$550,000 annually! 🖈

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