

## Alternative Fuel School Bus Incentive Program

Thanks to Clean Transportation Funding<sup>TM</sup> from the Mobile Source Air Pollution Reduction Review Committee (MSRC), public school districts and school transportation providers within the South Coast Air Quality Management District can benefit from buy-down incentive funds toward the purchase of clean compressed natural gas and liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) school buses.

The incentive monies go directly to each qualified school bus vendor to buy-down the cost of a bus, which is then available for purchase at a lower cost. Bus purchasers do not need to apply for Clean Transportation Funding<sup>TM</sup> to receive this benefit. Instead, they should contact one of the qualified vendors. Two types of school buses are available to receive buy-down incentives. These are:

Full size "Type D" CNG school buses - \$31,000 incentive per bus

Conventional body "Type C" LPG school buses - \$9,000 incentive per bus

Two bus vendors have been qualified to participate in the program:

A-Z Bus Sales, Colton - 800-437-5522. A-Z Bus Sales offers Blue Bird buses

BusWest, Carson – 310-954-3900. BusWest offers Thomas Built buses

Funding is limited; please ask vendor for details. Private schools are not eligible to participate.