## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## BUS RIDES OFFERED FOR PARCHMAN EMPLOYEES IN CASE OF HARSH WEATHER

**JACKSON** - Mississippi State Penitentiary at Parchman employees can ride a bus to work starting today in case of inclement weather.

Pick-up sites will be at multiple business locations along six routes for 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m. shifts. The buses will arrive in 5-, 10- and 30-minute intervals.

The first buses for the 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. shifts will arrive at 5:00 a.m. at the Boyd Store in Sledge and the Double Quick in Rosedale on Highway 1 (North Main Street). The last buses for these shifts will stop at 6:30 a.m. at Carroll's Grocery in Drew; Goose Pond on Highway 32; and Old Bryant's Service Station in Rome on Highway 49.

The first buses for the 7:00 p.m. -7:00 a.m. shifts will arrive at 5:00 p.m. at the Boyd Store in Sledge and the Double Quick in Rosedale on Highway 1. The last buses for this shift will run at 6:30 p.m. at Carroll's Grocery in Drew; Goose Pond on Highway 32; and Old Bryant's Service Station in Rome on Highway 49.

Here is a complete listing:

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ROUTE	PICK-UP SITES	PICK-UI	PICK-UP TIMES	
		7am -7pm Shift	7pm -7am Shift	
	Moorhead-Double Quick	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.	
1	Indianola-Loves, Hwy 49 & 82	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.	
	Sunflower-Service Station	6:10 a.m.	6:10 p.m.	
	Blaine-Old County Barn	6:15 a.m.	6:15 p.m.	
	Doddsville-Old Service Station	6:20 a.m.	6:20 p.m.	
	Ruleville-Double Quick, Hwy 49 & 8	6:25 a.m.	6:25 p.m.	
	Drew-Carroll's Grocery	6:30 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	
	Charleston-Courthouse	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.	
2	Webb-Jitney Jr.	6:15 a.m.	6:15 p.m.	
	Sumner-Scott Service Station	6:20 a.m.	6:20 p.m.	
	Goose Pond-Hwy 32	6:30 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	
	Itta Bena-Double Quick, Hwy 82	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.	
3	Greenwood-Walmart Parking Lot	5:45a.m.	5:45p.m.	
	Minter City-Store on Hwy 49	6:15 a.m.	6:15 p.m.	
	Glendora-Hwy 49 @ Bridge	6:25 a.m.	6:25 p.m.	
	Clarksdale-Church's, Hwy 49& 61	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.	
4	Dublin-Store on Hwy 49	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.	
	Tutwiler-Double Quick	6:15 a.m.	6:15 p.m.	
	Rome-Old Store, Hwy 49	6:30 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	
	Rosedale- Double Quick	5:00 a.m.	5:00 p.m.	
5	Pace-Intersection, Hwy 8	5:15 a.m.	5:15 p.m.	
	Cleveland-Krogers	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.	
	Merigold-Three Way Truck Stop	5:45 a.m.	5:45 p.m.	
	Mound Bayou-Health Center	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	
	Shelby-Dollar General	6:15 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	
_	Sledge-Boyd Store	5:00 a.m.	5:00 p.m.	
6	Falcon-Blue Store	5:15 a.m.	5:15 p.m.	
	Darling-Old Store, Hwy 3	5:25 a.m.	5:25 p.m.	
	Marks-Supervalu	5:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.	
	Lambert-Gurley's	5:45 a.m.	5:45 p.m.	
	Vance-Post Office on Hwy 3	6:15 a.m.	6:15 p.m.	