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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

BUS RIDES OFFERED FOR PARCHMAN EMPLOYEES BECAUSE OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

JACKSON - Mississippi State Penitentiary at Parchman employees can ride a bus to work, if needed, because of inclement weather.

Pick-up sites will be at multiple business locations along seven routes for the evening, midnight and morning shifts. The buses will arrive in 15-, 20- and 30-minute intervals.

The first buses for the evening shift will arrive at 2 p.m. at Kroger in Cleveland; Boyd Store in Sledge; and Double Quick in Rosedale on Highway 1 (North Main Street). The last buses for the evening shift will stop at 3:30 p.m. at Double Quick in Ruleville on U.S. 49 and Highway 8; Carroll's Grocery in Drew; Goose Pond on Highway 32; and Old Bryant's Service Station in Rome on U.S. 49.

The first buses for the midnight shift will start arriving at 10:30 p.m. at the Double Quick station in Moorehead; the courthouse in Charleston; On Highway 82 in Itta Bena across from Valley State University; the intersection of U.S. 49 and U.S. 61 in Clarksdale; the Chevron in Merigold; and the Supervalu in Marks. The last buses will run at 11:30 p.m. at Goose Pond and Old Bryant's Service Station in Rome.

The morning shift buses will start at 6 a.m. at the following locations: the Cleveland Kroger; Boyd Store in Sledge; and Double Quick in Rosedale. The last buses will run at 7:30 a.m. at Double Quick in Ruleville; Carroll's Grocery in Drew; Goose Pond; and Old Bryant's Service Station in Rome.

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Here is a complete listing:

ROUTE	PICK-UP SITES	PICK-UP TIMES		
		4:00 p.m. Shift	12:00 p.m. Shift	8:00 a.m. Shift
1	Moorhead - Double Quick	2:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
	Indianola - Highways 49 & 82	3:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m.
	Sunflower - Shell Service Station	3:15 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Blaine - Old County Barn	3:15 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Doddsville - Service Station - Highways 49 & 442	3:15 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Ruleville - Double Quick Highways 49 & 8	3:30 p.m.	11:15 PM	7:30 a.m.
	Drew - Carroll's Grocery	3:30 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
2	Charleston - Courthouse	2:30 p m	10:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
	Webb - Jitney Jr.	3:15 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Sumner - CO-OP	3:15 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Goose Pond - Highway 32	3:30 p.m.	11:30 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
3	Itta Bena - Highway 82 – Across from Valley State	2:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
	Greenwood - Shell Station near Ford Place	2:45 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	6:45 a.m.
	Greenwood - Old Russell Parking Lot, Corner of Fulton/Johnson	2:45 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	6:45 a.m.
	Minter City - store on Highway 49	3:15 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Glendora – 49 E on Highway at the Bridge	3:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
4	Clarksdale - Intersection Highway 49 & 61	2:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	6 30 a.m.
	Dublin - Store on Highway 49	3:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m.
	Tutwiler - Shell	3:15 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	Rome-Old Bryant's Service Station, Highway 49	3:30 p.m.	11:30 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
5	Cleveland - Kroger	2:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	6:00 a.m.
	Merigold-Chevron	2:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
	Mound Bayou-Old Bolivar Bank	2:45 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	6:45 a.m.
	Winstonville-Old Harlem Inn	2:45 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	6:45 a.m.
	Shelby-Double Quick	3:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.	7:00 a.m.
6	Sledge-Boyd Store	2:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	6:00 a.m.
	Falcon-The Blue Store	2:15 p.m.	10:15 p.m.	6:15 a.m.
	Darling-Leon's (Food Mart)	2:25 p.m.	10:25 p.m.	6:25 a.m.
	Marks-Supervalu	2:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
	Lambert-Gurley's	2:45 p.m.	10:45 p.m.	6:45 a.m.
	Vance - Post Office on Hwy. 3	3:15 p.m.	11:15 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
7	Rosedale - Double Quick on Hwy.1 (N. Main St.)	2:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	6:00 a.m.
	Pace Big Intersection	2:20 p.m.	10:20 p.m.	6:20 a.m.

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