

## New York's Commitment to Clean School Transit

\$500m in funding available to help transform your school's fleet

### NYSERDA's New York School Bus Incentive Program (NYSBIP)

# \$500m

Electric school bus fleet subsidies

Zero-emission funding support granted by the Clean Air, Clean Water, and Green Jobs Environmental Bond Act in 2022

# \$100m

Funding on a first-come-first serve basis

Available for NY public school districts and student transportation contractors for electric school buses (ESBs) and charging infrastructure

# \$114k

Base funding per vehicle

Covers up to 100% of the incremental cost of a new or repowered zero-emission school bus

Source, Jan 2024: <https://www.nyserdera.ny.gov/All-Programs/Electric-School-Buses/NY-School-Bus-Incentive-Program-Overview>

### Zero-Emission Mandates

Over the next decade, the New York state legislature requires that all school bus fleets upgrade to electric or zero-emission vehicles. Act now to get a head start on electrifying your fleet.



100% of new school bus sales must be zero-emission



100% of school bus fleets must be zero-emission

### Phased Bus Electrification



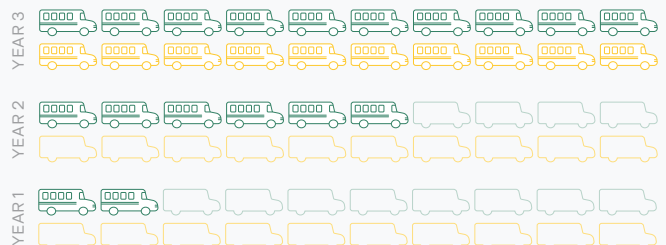
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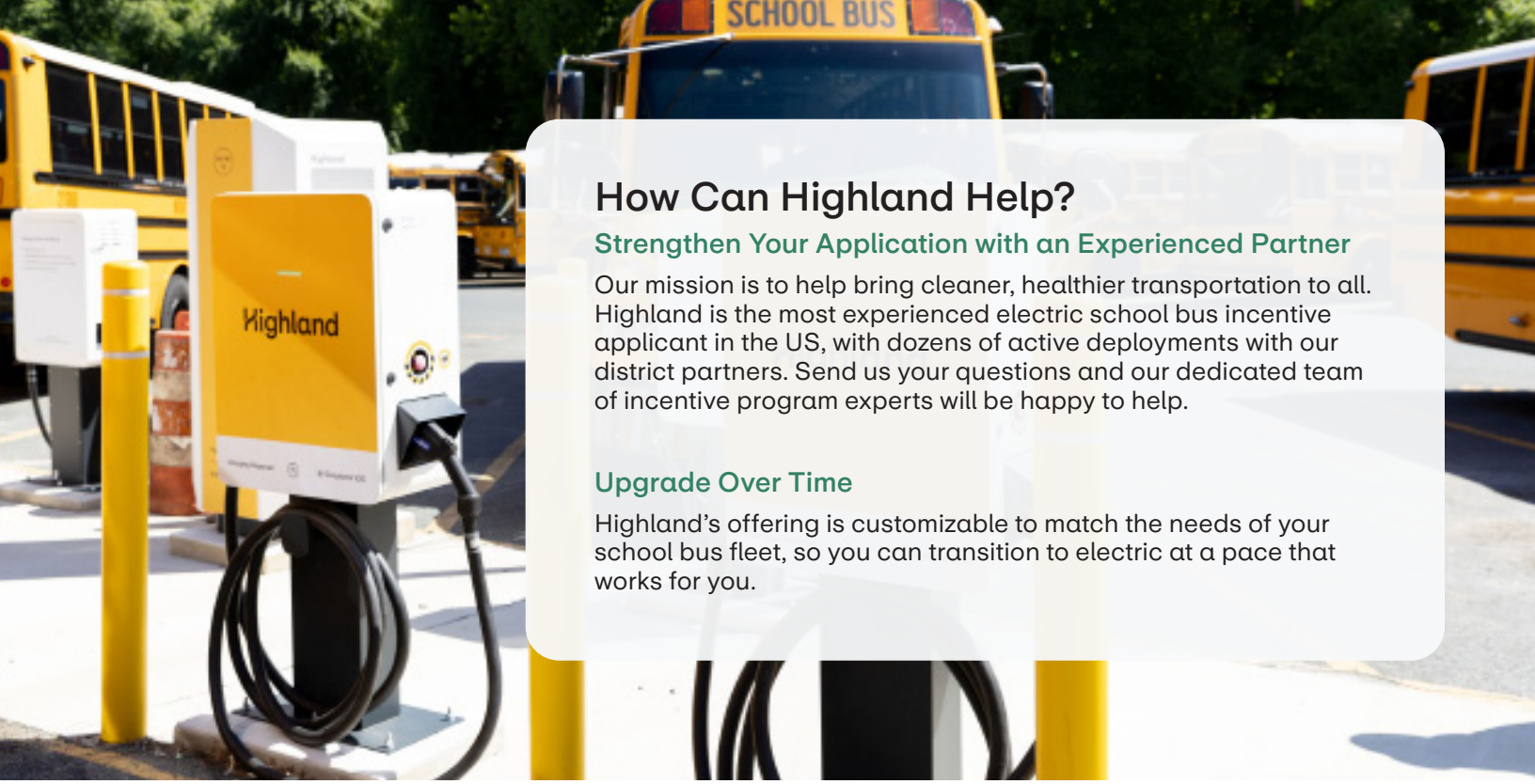
Build experience & electrify at a pace you can manage



**Wait Until 2027**

Manage the logistics of major fleet transition all at once





## How Can Highland Help?

### Strengthen Your Application with an Experienced Partner

Our mission is to help bring cleaner, healthier transportation to all. Highland is the most experienced electric school bus incentive applicant in the US, with dozens of active deployments with our district partners. Send us your questions and our dedicated team of incentive program experts will be happy to help.

### Upgrade Over Time

Highland's offering is customizable to match the needs of your school bus fleet, so you can transition to electric at a pace that works for you.

## How Highland Works



## Why Act Now?

### Maximize Federal + State Funding

- Voucher Applications are being accepted on a first-come, first-served basis beginning November 29, 2023.
- The EPA Clean School Bus Program represents the largest amount of funding for zero-emission school buses in U.S. history and can be used in conjunction with the NYSBIP incentive program.

### A Smooth Transition

Project planning and implementation take time. Help your fleet operators gain experience and phase in electric buses before the 2027 zero-emission bus mandate.

### Budget Certainty

With rising costs and inflation, locking in fixed long-term transportation contracts eliminates price volatility and stabilizes your budget.

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