

Pleasant Valley School District District Planning Meeting – August 13, 2026 Diesel/Gas Tank Conversion

The Problem: Bus compound, Security/Police & Maintenance all have gas powered vehicles – currently using gas cards at the gas station - price of \$4.20 per gallon

The Solution: Pleasant Valley has two 10,000 gallon underground tanks at the bus compound – both contain diesel fuel for bus transportation; PV could convert the rear underground diesel tank to an unleaded gasoline tank; PV could then participate in the unleaded gasoline consortium bid that occurs in Nov/Dec; currently a locked price of \$2.35 per gallon for the 26-27 school year

The Result: More efficient monitoring of gasoline usage; significant savings for the District

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<u>School Year</u>	<u>Total Spent</u>	<u>Average \$\$ per gallon</u>	<u>Consortium locked in price per gallon</u>
2025-2026	\$154,721.40	\$3.68	\$2.31
2024-2025	\$137,713.35	\$3.20	\$2.67
2023-2024	\$92,780.75	\$3.40	\$2.57
2022-2023	\$98,185.17	\$3.63	\$2.58

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- PV uses about 40,000 gallons of unleaded fuel per school year at market price:
 - $\$4.20 \times 40,000 = \$168,000$
- The 2026-2027 consortium price is locked at
 - $\$2.35 \times 40,000 = \$94,000$
- Total savings of \$74,000 less conversion amount of \$16,000 = \$58,000 first year, then \$74,000 following years