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## **Kentucky School Districts Respond to Devastation in Western Kentucky**

**Vanceburg, KY— December 17, 2021** — Trace Creek Construction along with more than 25 school districts in Kentucky are responding to the damage caused by a massive tornado Friday night in Western Kentucky stretching over 200 miles.

### **Stuff the Bus – transporting goods to Western Kentucky.**

More than 35 school buses and tractor trailers will be leaving and headed west to assist in the devastation caused by the tornado, transporting needed items such as water, sanitizer, toys, clothing, and more, all collected from local community members in each district.

Northeast Kentucky districts will meet at 8:00 AM at Rowan County Ballfields 2203 Flemingsburg Road Morehead, KY on Monday morning December 20th. The caravan will then travel to meet South Eastern school districts at Clark County Schools Board Office 1600 West Lexington Avenue Winchester, Kentucky leaving at 9:30 AM. The bus caravan will travel through Lexington, meeting central and southern school districts, before arriving at the final destination in Morgantown, Kentucky.

“Anybody who knows Eastern Kentucky, knows this is just what we do, responding to tragedy in our state is something we don’t even think twice about, we just do it” – Sam Howard, CEO Trace Creek Construction and Northeast Kentucky Development.

Trace Creek Construction will be working with local districts in the tornado area for the last mile of distribution on Tuesday.

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