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Subject: Ideas for realistic options until new buses arrive

Ken, Iâ€™m copying Vaidila and Ely here.

Here are some of the (not all so great) ideas Iâ€™ve been batting around in my head since weâ€™re regularly not running routes:

1. Is it possible to have maintenance staff work overnights while the regular routes arenâ€™t running?

2. Iâ€™d like to request a report on how many service hours we have not paid for due to maintenance issues? I took pictures of the 1434 getting towed today, and the driver says the pins in the steering column are the issue not allowing the bus to turn. He says another route will have to be pulled today, while the E1-1/2, S2, and S6 are also out of service today.Â

3. How can we help research ability to rent a couple buses to hold us over?Â

4. Worst case: do we pull the E1-1/2 and/or S2 until the new buses come?

This was the situation I feared: that the buses wouldnâ€™t last until new ones arrived. Let me know where I can plug in to research solutions.

Kim
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Sent from my "smart" phone.