## **Driving/unloading Directions for State Vocal Contests at OBU 2023**

## March 30-31 (State Choral) April 20-21 (State Solo/Ensemble)

- Buses should enter campus from MacArthur Street (on the north side of campus), then proceed south on the east side of Agee Residence Center (27 on the map)
- There will an unloading station on the west side of Raley Chapel (22 on the map) students, equipment, and other items may be unloaded at this point
- Buses should NOT drive behind the chapel it is a narrow alley with no exit/turnaround at the other end
- Bus parking is marked on the map the best place is on the far southwest corner of campus - only about a two-minute walk from the chapel
- The contest venue is Raley Chapel all choir performances and registration will be in this building. It has handicap access from both north-facing doors. Some solo and ensemble adjudication will take place in the Geiger Center (immediately east of the chapel, 15 on the map), and Ford Hall (far east side of campus, 8 on the map). Students are welcome to utilize Ford Hall (58 on the map) as a warm-up and practice facility. It contains more than 20 practice rooms - however, it is a three-minute walk from the chapel.
- If you are driving individual vehicles, the lots directly on the south side of MacArthur Street are designated as visitor parking. Please do not park directly behind the chapel, as space is limited, and it is a very congested space. If you happen to receive a parking violation notice, please give it to the Contest Manager. A map is attached, showing directions on campus and from Interstate I-40. Contest Manager: Dr. Patty Nelson Contest Office: 405-585-4300 Email: patricia.nelson@okbu.edu