AGENDA FOR A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, THORNTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 205, HELD ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2016 IN THE AUDITORIUM AT THORNTON HIGH SCHOOL, 15001 BROADWAY AVENUE, HARVEY, ILLINOIS, BEGINNING AT 6:30 P.M.

AGENDA

- 1. OPEN SESSION
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- Report from Curriculum Committee
- Report from Finance Committee
- Report from Policy Committee
- Report from Discipline Committee
- Report from Facilities Committee

5. CONSENT AGENDA

- Approval of Minutes: Special Meeting and Executive Session of November 17, 2015
- Approval of Minutes: Regular Meeting and Executive Session of December 9, 2015
- Approval of Minutes: Special Meeting and Executive Session of December 28, 2015
- Approval of Minutes: Special Meeting and Executive Session of January 19, 2016
- Approval of District 205 Bills dated: January 15, January 22, January 29 and February 5, 2016
- Personnel: Approval of Resignations, Leave of Absence and Employment dated February 10, 2016
- 6. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- 7. <u>FOIA</u>
 - Mr. Doss

8. COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Doss

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

10. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Recommended Approval of Financial Advisor *(Policy Section 4:60)* Dr. Grossi and Mr. Horton (Approval Needed)
- B. Recommended Approval of Underwriter/Placement Agent (*Policy Section 4:60*) Dr. Grossi and Mr. Horton (Approval Needed)
- C. Recommended Approval of Resolution Providing for the Issue of Not to Exceed \$2,380,000 of Working Cash Fund Bonds, the Levy of Taxes to Pay the Bonds and the Sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser Thereof (*Policy Section 4:10*) Dr. Grossi and Mr. Horton (Approval Needed)
- D. Recommended Approval of Internal Auditor (Policy Section 4:60) Dr. Swopes (Approval Needed)
- E. Recommended Approval of Snow Removal Bid (Policy Section 4:60) Mr. Horton (Approval Needed)

- F. Recommended Approval of Plato Contract Renewal (Policy Section 4:60) Mr. Fickes (Approval Needed)
- G. Recommended Approval of 2016 Summer School Calendar (*Policy 6:20*) Dr. Doss (Approval Needed)
- H. Recommended Approval of the 2016-2017 School Calendar (*Policy Section 6:20*) Dr. Doss (Approval Needed)
- I. Recommended Approval of Overnight Field Trip (Policy Section 6:240) Mr. Porter (Approval Needed)
- J. Recommended Approval of Overnight Field Trip (Policy Section 6:240) Mr. Porter (Approval Needed)

11. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

12. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board will enter closed session pursuant to Section 2(c) of the Open Meetings Act to discuss:

- Student discipline;
- The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity;
- · Collective negotiating matters, and
- Litigation, when an action against, affecting or on behalf of the particular public body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent.

13. RECONVENE OPEN SESSION

14. ACTION ITEMS FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION

- A. Action Concerning Employment of Thornridge Director
- B. Action Concerning Morrow Settlement

15. ADJOURNMENT

Next Regular Meeting: Wednesday, March 9, 2016

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: Thornton High School

District 205 Mission Statement

"District 205's school community will create an environment where every student can learn." We believe...

- The individual has intrinsic value.
- Learning and teaching should be guided by high expectations.
- Learning is a life-long process.
- All students can learn.
- Education is a shared responsibility of the school, student, family and community.
- Students learn best in and have a right to have a safe, positive, supportive environment.
- Diversity enriches the school community.
- Schools foster social responsibility.