Thursday, November 12, 2026
REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING AGENDA
THORNTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 205 HELD AT THORNRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL, 15000 COTTAGE GROVE AVE., DOLTON, ILLINOIS AT 6:30 PM

1. **OPEN SESSION**
2. **ROLL CALL**
3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
4. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**
   A. Report from Curriculum Committee
   B. Report from Finance & Facilities Committee
   C. Report from Policy Committee
   D. Report from Discipline Committee
5. **CONSENT AGENDA**

   Motion to approve the Consent Agenda as follows:
   A. Approval of Regular Meeting and Executive Session Minutes dated October 7, 2026
   B. Approval of District 205 Bills: Dated October 7, 2026, through November 11, 2026
   C. Personnel: Approval of Resignations, Leave of Absence, New Hires & Terminations dated November 11, 2026
   D. Ratification:
      i. Approval of Thornwood HS Girls Tennis State Competition, Overnight Trip, Rolling Meadows, IL, October 21-22, 2026
      ii. Approval of Thornton HS Cross Country Sectional, Overnight Trip, Metamora, IL, October 30-31, 2026
      iii. Approval of Thornton HS Boys Basketball, Boylan Thanksgiving Invitational, Overnight Trip, Rockford, IL, November 24-25 and 27-28, 2026
6. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**
7. **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA)**
   A. Dr. Doss will provide information on the FOIA request(s) received
8. **COMMUNICATIONS**
   A. News from the Schools- Dr. Ratliff
9. **NEW BUSINESS**
   A. Presentation: Turn Up for Peace Excellence- Dr. Ratliff
   B. Recommended Approval: Intergovernmental Agreement between the District and South Suburban Community College District 510- Dr. Ratliff
   C. Presentation: Tentative Tax Levy 2026- Dr. Johnson
   D. Public Hearing: Public Hearing concerning the intent of the Board to sell not to exceed $20,000,000 Working Cash Fund Bonds for the purpose of increasing the working cash fund of the District; approval of minutes concerning same- Dr. Johnson
   E. Recommended Approval: Resolution Authorizing Intervention in Proceedings before the State of Illinois Property Tax Appeal Board- Dr. Johnson
   F. Recommended Approval: Construction Manager Contract Documents & Fee Proposal- Dr. Johnson

10. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

11. EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. Motion to enter into Closed Session, pursuant to 2(c) of the Open Meetings Act to consider the following:
   i. The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees;
   ii. Student discipline;
   iii. Collective negotiating matters; and
   iv. Pending, probable or imminent litigation

12. RECONVENE OPEN SESSION

13. ACTION ITEMS FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. Possible Action Concerning Teacher Suspension Without Pay Following Review Hearing
B. Possible Action Concerning Employment of Communications Coordinator
C. Possible Action Concerning Student Expulsion

14. ADJOURNMENT

Next Regular Meeting – December 9, 2026, at THORNRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL

District 205 Vision: Building an exemplary high-quality organization that produces major gains in student achievement and prepares all students to be productive citizens in a global society.

District 205 Mission: To develop productive citizens who are enrolled, enlisted or employed at the completion of high school.

District 205 Core Values: Empathy, Trust, Pride, Responsiveness, High Expectations with High Support Integrity, Commitment to Excellence, Innovation, and Collaboration

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING THE INTENT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 205, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS TO SELL NOT TO EXCEED $20,000,000 WORKING CASH FUND BONDS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Township High School District Number 205, Cook County, Illinois (the *"District"*), will hold a public hearing on the 12th day of November, 2026, at 6:30 o'clock P.M. The hearing will be held at Thornridge High School, 15000 Cottage Grove Avenue, Dolton, Illinois. The purpose of the hearing will be to receive public comments on the proposal to sell bonds in an amount not to exceed $20,000,000 for the purpose of increasing the working cash fund of the District.

By order of the Board of Education of Township High School District Number 205, Cook County, Illinois.

DATED the 7th day of October, 2026.

Almetta Vasser-Moody
Secretary, Board of Education,
Township High School District Number 205,
Cook County, Illinois