BOARD OF EDUCATION School District of Independence Tuesday, August 11, 2015

THE MEETING WILL BE HELD AT CENTRAL OFFICE, 201 NORTH FOREST AVENUE.

5:45 P.M. – Public Hearing on 2015-2016 Tax Rate Levy

6:00 P.M. – Regular Board of Education Meeting CALL TO ORDER

- I. Approval of Agenda.
- II. Request of District Citizens or Employees.

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III. Consent Agenda (Action)

The matters listed under Item III. Consent Agenda, are considered to be routine by the Board of Education and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussions of the items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be listed as the first item under the appropriate section of the Regular Agenda.

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1. Minutes of:

Board Meeting July 14, 2015.

2. Approval of Bills (III. 2.)

Authorize the transfer of monies from the Incidental Fund to the Teachers Fund to meet the Teachers Fund obligations for the month and further approve the August 11, 2015 list of bills totaling \$6,875,865.79 as printed.

3. Personnel Recommendation #3.

It is recommended that the: (III. 3.)

Certificated personnel requests for leaves of absence, resignations or Retirements be approved as listed; and

Certificated personnel listed on the enclosed attachment be employed for the 2015-2016 school year.

- 4. Approval to Let Bids for Repairs to the Retaining Wall at Maple Arms Apartments.
- IV. Superintendent's Report/Miscellaneous.
- V. New Business.
 - 1. Presentation Regarding On-Line Enrollment Program.
 - 2. Approval of Tax Rate Levy for the 2015-2016 School Year.
 - 3. Approval of Changes to Board of Education Policies Second and Final Reading.
 - 4. Approval of Changes to Board of Education Regulations.
 - 5. Approval of Additional FY 2015-2016 Salary Guides.
 - 6. Approval to Declare 947 South Arlington and 9615 E. 9th Street as District Surplus Properties for Demolition.
 - 7. Approval of Resolution to Readopt the Board of Education Ethics Policy 0342.
 - 8. Approval of District Tuition Rate for the 2015-2016 School Year.
- VI. Motion to Adjourn to Closed Session (Mo State Statutes 610.020).

The Next Regular Board of Education Meeting is Scheduled for Tuesday, September 8, 2015.

EXECUTIVE SESSION Immediately Following Regular Meeting

- Approval of Minutes of Executive Session held: (Action)
 July 14, 2015.
- II. Closed Session for:

Legal Matters – Litigation including privileged communications between the Board, its representatives, and its attorneys. Upon completion of the litigation or upon the execution of public record approving such a contract shall become available to the public within seventy-two (72) hours after execution of the contract.

Real Estate - The lease, purchase or sale of real estate where public knowledge of the details of the proposed acquisition might adversely affect the District's interests. Any vote or public record approving such a contract shall become available to the public within seventy-two (72) hours after execution of the contract.

Personnel - Actions related to the hiring, firing, disciplining or promotion of a District employee when the performance or individual merit of this employee is considered. Any vote on a final decision to hire, fire, promote or discipline will be available to the public within seventy-two (72) hours of the close of the meeting, except that good faith efforts will be made to notify the affected employee prior to the information becoming publicly available. Disclosure of Board action on such personnel matters will include notice of how each Board member voted on the proposition.

III. Adjournment.