### MORTON UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 709

#### **BOARD OF EDUCATION** REGULAR MEETING MORTON EDUCATION AND ADMINISTRATION CENTER

**APRIL 13, 2021** 

5:30 PM

The mission of our Morton District 709 Board of Education is to be a provider of and an advocate for the education of all children.

# **DISTRICT GOALS -**

- Achievement Morton District 709 will nurture and challenge each student to reach their potential through the highest quality teaching using evidence based instructional practices, curriculum, programs and services.
- Communication Morton District 709 will strive to engage all members of the district and community in open, meaningful two-way communication providing timely information and opportunities for dialogue regarding key educational issues.
- Climate Morton District 709 will maintain a cohesive organizational system which fosters a culture characterized by mutual trust and respect among the board, administration, faculty, staff, students and community resulting in an organization focused on continuous improvement.
- Facilities Morton District 709 will develop and maintain facilities providing the current and future students with safe, well maintained and functional space to support research based best practices in teaching and learning.
- Finance Morton District 709 will maintain a financial position which supports all district operations in an efficient, cost effective manner, as well as providing long term stability for the district.

### **AGENDA**

### **REGULAR MEETING**

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call – 5:30 P.M.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. **Audience Presentations**

This is the only time set aside for Audience Presentations. The Board of Education will take all presentations under consideration and respond, at the latest, by the end of the next regular Board of Education meeting. Please limit your comments to 5 minutes. Participants are expected to conduct themselves with civility and respect, and follow the guidelines outlined in Board Policy 8:30, "Visitors to and Conduct on School Property." Further information about public participation in Board of Education meetings can be found in Board Policy 2:230.

- IV. Board Hearing on Administrative Recommendation to Prohibit Shawn Durbin from School **Events or Meetings**
- Action on Administrative Recommendation to Prohibit Shawn Durbin from School Events or Meeting.
- VI. Words of Remembrance Margaret Shafer, Teacher Jefferson/Lincoln Schools 1983 2021

### VII. Reports

- A. Administrative
  - 1. Freedom of Information Requests
  - 2. MHS Tech Update
  - 3. Superintendent's Report

### B. Board

- 1. President's Report
- 2. Agenda Building

### VIII. Action Items

A. Approval of Collective Bargaining Agreement with Morton Education Association

### IX. Consent Agenda

- A. Approve Personnel Report
- B. Approve February Treasurer's Report
- C. Approve Out of State/Overnight Trip Request MHS Band
- D. Approve Auditor for 2020-21 School Year
- E. Approve Minutes of the March 23, 2021, Regular Meeting, the March 23, 2021, Regular Meeting Closed Session; the April 6, 2021, Special Meeting; and the April 6, 2021, Special Meeting Closed Session.
- F. Approve Bills and Payroll

	Bills 3-26-21	Bills 4-9-21	Payroll 3-5-21	Payroll 3-19-21	Payroll 4-2-21
Ed. Fund	\$184,830.91	\$104,816.40	\$823,017.13	\$847,104.80	\$896,506.09
Bldg. Fund	163,477.58	21,394.99	46,138.93	45,450.53	45,306.83
Trans. Fund	5,884.89	2,458.43	21,074.03	25,282.53	25,206.92
IMRF Fund			43,934.32	47,957.02	51,677.34

# X. Closed Session as Stated in the Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120/2 115 ILCS 5/18)

XI. Next Meeting: April 20, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Regular Meeting, MEAC

Future Meetings: May 4, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Reg. Meeting, MEAC- Seat New Board Members

May 18, 2021, 5:30 P.M., Regular Meeting, MEAC

# XII. Adjourn