

BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING

NOVEMBER 16, 2021

MORTON EDUCATION AND ADMINISTRATION CENTER

7:00 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

LEVY HEARING – 7:00 P.M.

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call
- II. Presentation of 2021 Levy
- III. Audience Questions and Discussion
- IV. Declare Levy Hearing Closed

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- I. Call to Order and Roll Call
- 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. Reports

A. Administrative

1. Recognition of MJHS Baseball Team – State Runners Up
2. Recognition of MHS Marching Band – Class 2A State Champions

B. Board

1. President's Report
 - Jefferson Teacher Meeting

V. Discussion Item –

- A. Property Tax Relief Grant
- B. 1st Reading of Revisions for Policies 2:120-E1; 6:145; and 6:260
- C. IASB Conference Resolutions Discussion
- D. IASB Conference Selections

VI. Action Item –

- A. Approve Levy Resolution
- B. Approve Boys and Girls Lacrosse Co-op with Washington High School

VII. Consent Agenda

- A. Approve Personnel Report
- B. Approve July, August, September Treasurer's Reports
- C. Approve Minutes of the November 2, 2021, Regular Meeting and the November 2, 2021, Regular Meeting Closed Session.
- D. Approve Bills and Payroll

	Bills 11-5-21	Payroll 10-1-21	Payroll 10-15-21	Payroll 10-29-21
Ed. Fund	\$81,432.76	\$861,454.33	\$883,283.63	\$860,096.84
Bldg. Fund	29,323.63	45,640.41	48,163.59	48,800.10
Trans. Fund	17,520.69	27,672.34	27,130.43	22,506.76
TORT	25.98	--	--	--
IMRF Fund	--	50,509.45	52,794.24	45,956.95

VIII. Closed Session as Stated in the Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120/2 115 ILCS 5/18)**IX. Adjourn**