



ILLING MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Members of the Illing School Community,

As part of our work to engage all members of our learning community in the reform work and positive programming at Illing, we will be continuing our School Governance Council for the remainder of the 2014-15 school year.

The School Governance Council provides an excellent opportunity for school staff members to partner with families and community members to ensure that all Illing Middle School Students succeed and are exposed to exceptional learning experiences that prepare them for high school, college and the demands of the 21st century workforce. Councils are intended to represent the diverse interests of families, teachers, students and community members that make up a learning community.

State law (Public Act 10-111) mandates that the parents, teachers and community members who serve on councils must be elected. The council will consist of fourteen voting members that include seven parents/guardians, five members of the school faculty and two community leaders within the district. Voting members serve a maximum of two year terms. A parent/guardian must be a person who is the natural, adoptive or stepparent of a child enrolled in the school including those people acting as legal guardian or registered custodian of the child, such as the grandparent. Each household may cast one vote for each open parent/guardian seat on the council. We anticipate that meetings for the 2014-15 school year will be held monthly on Tuesdays from 6:00 to 7:00 PM. **If you are interested in nominating yourself or a fellow parent/guardian to serve on this committee, please complete this online nomination form by Monday, 12/1/14 : [application form](#)**. It is also available on the website under the About Us tab.

State law stipulates that teacher members of the council be elected by teachers in the school. Teachers who are interested in running should also complete the form on this website. It is recommended that the teachers eligible to serve on the council be certified staff who perform the majority of their duties in a teaching capacity at that school.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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