To: Members of the Vicksburg School Board

From: Peter Schinkai, VHS Lacrosse Coach

RE: Lacrosse team trip to Chicago

Date: March 21-22, 2025

On March 21 and 22, 2025, I would like to offer the Vicksburg JV and Varsity lacrosse teams the opportunity to travel to Metro Chicago to play two quality Illinois lacrosse programs, Batavia High School and Naperville Central High School. This trip will allow our lacrosse team to experience competition in a different environment, playing against quality Illinois opponents, while also sharpening their skills for the remainder of the MHSAA season. Our teams would play at Batavia High School on Friday at 5:30 (JV) and 7 p.m. (Varsity) before playing at Naperville Central at 11 a.m. (JV) and 1 p.m. (Varsity) on Saturday.

Transportation and hotel accommodations would be covered by our parents. We do a similar, in-state trip almost every year and when we get closer to the event, we work with a hotel to try and offer us a block of rooms. This would be our expectation for this trip as well.

I ask the Board of Education to continue to support this opportunity by approving this request. It will allow Vicksburg lacrosse players an opportunity to expand their horizons, playing against different teams, and showcasing Vicksburg lacrosse in its best light.

Sincerely,

Peter Schinkai