

Browning Public Schools
Board Agenda Request
Meeting To Be Held: 12/13/16



Recognition: ☐ Students ☐ Staff ☐ Parents
Information: ☐ Building Report ☐ Old Business ☐ Superintendent's Report
Action: ☐ Resignation ☐ Hiring ☐ Contract Service Agreements
 ☐ Travel Out-of-State ☒ Travel In State ☐ Approvals
 ☐ Termination ☐ Legal Matters ☐ Other:
This action request pertains to ☐ Elementary (only) ☒ High School/District Wide

Date: 12/02/16

To: **Board of Trustees**
 Browning Public Schools

From: John P. Rouse
Title: Superintendent

Subject: MQEC Meeting Schedule 2016-2017

Description: As a Committee Member of MQEC, I am requesting, to attend the scheduled monthly meetings held in Helena each month for January through April 2017.

Funding Source (Budget/grant, etc.): Superintendent Travel Budget

Financial Impact: \$ Approximate travel costs when mileage is considered \$232.80 per meeting

Attachment(s): Meeting Schedule

Approval: Superintendent's Office/Finance/Personnel as applicable (Initial) _____

Comments: _____

Board Action: ☐ N/A (Info) ☐ Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Tabled to: _____

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From: **Dianne Burke** <dburke@mqec.org>

Date: Thu, Nov 17, 2016 at 2:04 PM

Subject: MQEC - Follow-up items from MQEC Board Meeting 11.16.16

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Directors:

There are a few outstanding items from yesterdays' meeting – please reply by 5:00 p.m. Friday, November 18 with comments.

1. Proposed meeting schedule January-April, 2017. The suggestion was to change our meeting to Tuesday afternoon to avoid conflicts with committee meetings and to align with statewide advocacy activities.

- **Tuesday, January 17, 2017** - MEA-MFT conference room, **2:00 p.m.**, Helena, MT
- **Tuesday, February 14, 2017** - SAM conference room, **2:00 p.m.**, Helena, MT
(*Monday, February 13 is a K-12 Vision Group meeting and MT-PEC Caucus Day on the Hill)
- **Tuesday, March 14, 2017** – MTSBA 4th floor conference room, 12:00 or following adjournment of the Spring Superintendent's Conference, Helena, MT (*Monday, March 13, 2017 is the Day of Advocacy on the Hill)
- **Tuesday, April 18, 2017** – MEA-MFT conference room, **2:00 p.m.**, Helena, MT

2. Guidance for MQEC activity during the 2017 Legislative session. See changes to criteria (a) and (b).

MQEC will offer testimony on issues of public education if a) those issues have constitutional implications and b) if there is consensus of the MQEC Board of Directors, either in support or opposition..

Sincerely,
Dianne

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