DU PAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT 13 BOARD OF EDUCATION Bloomingdale, Illinois

Regular Meeting August 23, 2021

FOR ACTION

Subject: Resolution in Support of the 2021 Return to Learn Plan

Last year, the Board of Education, Administration, and the Bloomingdale Council of Teachers collaborated to support a Return to Learn Plan to serve students in District 13 during the pandemic. Since that time, many changes were made with the objective to get as many students back in the school buildings to receive in person instruction as possible.

The Tentative Return to Learn Plan for 2021-2022 accomplishes the same objective through compliance with the executive order from the Governor as well as guidance offered by the Center for Disease Control, the Illinois Department of Public Health, and the DuPage County Health Department. The plan has been shared with the Board of Education, the Executive Board of the Teacher's Council, the Administration, and parents as of August 11. The use of the word "tentative" is purposeful in that the plan will change according to updated guidance information, the availability of a vaccine to younger students, and the hope that the efforts to mitigate the spread of the virus will hasten the District's transition to instruction delivered without any inhibitions.

It is my recommendation to the Board to support the August 11th Return to Learn Plan for the 2021-2022 school year as presented.

Recommendation: The Board of Education approve the resolution in support of the Return to Learn Plan as presented.