



BOARD OF EDUCATION, School District 148, Cook County

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Dear Residents of Dolton Riverdale School District 148,

The Board of Education of School District 148 invites you to attend a public meeting to be held at Park School located at 14200 Wentworth Avenue in Riverdale at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 3, 2011. The purpose of the meeting is to receive input from the community regarding the potential closing of a school in District 148, following the end of the 2010-2011 school year.

School District 148 has experienced several consecutive years of declining enrollment that has led to a large number of empty classrooms in District schools and a significant reduction in funding from the State of Illinois. The Board of Education is committed to utilizing its resources to operate the District in the best interests of our residents and to provide the best educational experience possible to our students. The Board is interested in hearing from you regarding the future of your school district. Difficult decisions such as this are best made after the Board has had an opportunity to hear the questions, comments, and concerns of our residents.

The meeting will begin with a brief presentation by School District representatives, explaining the current situation. The Board will then seek feedback from those in attendance. Please make time to attend the meeting and share your questions, comments, concerns, and suggestions with the Board of Education and School District Administration.

Thank you for your interest in School District 148. We look forward to seeing you and hearing from you on March 3rd.

Sincerely,

Board of Education

Dr. Jayne E. Purcell
Superintendent

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