AGENDA ITEMS

OPEN SESSION – Administration Building, PLC1

1. CALL TO ORDER – 5:00 P.M.
2. ROLL CALL
3. MOTION FOR CLOSED SESSION

CLOSED SESSION – Administration Building, PLC1

4. DISCUSSION OF CLOSED SESSION ITEMS
5. ADJOURNMENT

OPEN SESSION – Administration Building, Board Room

OPENING

1. CALL TO ORDER – 6:30 P.M.
2. ROLL CALL
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
4. ANNOUNCEMENTS
5. DISTRICT PRESENTATION - Remote Learning Update  Dr. Sharon Desmoulin-Kherat
6. PRESENTATION BY AUDIENCE
   (Board Policy 2:230 – An individual may address the Board at this time for no more than five minutes with further time allotted as appropriate, at the discretion of the chair and with the concurrence of the majority of the Board. Total time on any one subject shall exceed twenty minutes only at the discretion of the chair and with the concurrence of the majority of the Board. Each speaker will fill out a “Request to Speak to the Board of Education” card and present it to the Board Secretary before the meeting begins.)
7. RESPONSE TO AUDIENCE PRESENTATION

INFORMATION ITEMS
   (Information items are reports from the Administration to the Board that deal directly with the Board has stated and approved annual objectives for the school district. These reports are intended to update the Board on the progress being made to achieve those goals. While they require no action by the Board, the Superintendent or Board President may ask for a consensus of the Board to be taken in order to provide guidance to the administration. Occasionally the Superintendent may ask to include presentations from the administration or from the community on items of importance to the school district that do not fall into one of the Board’s annual objectives.)

1. Proposed expenditures over $2,500
2. Report of Requests under the Freedom of Information Act and Status of Such Requests

ACTION ITEMS –

CONSENT AGENDA
   (Action by the Board of Education on the items listed within the Consent Agenda are adopted by a single motion unless a member of the Board or the Superintendent requests that any such item be removed from the consent calendar and voted on separately. Generally, consent agenda items are matters in which the Board and Superintendent agree are routine in nature and should be acted upon in one motion to conserve time and permit focus on other than routine items on the agenda)

1. GIFTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT – None this meeting
   Year to date - $296,554.57
2. PAYMENT OF BILLS
3. HUMAN RESOURCES REPORT
   Proposed Action: Appointment, employment, compensation, performance, resignation, retirement or discharge of an employee.
4. AMENDMENT TO TRANSPORTATION SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH FIRST STUDENT, INC
   Proposed Action: That the Board of Education of the City of Peoria School District 150 approve an amendment to Transportation Services Agreement with First Student, Inc.

PRESENTATION AND SUGGESTIONS BY BOARD MEMBERS

REPORTS FROM BOARD COMMITTEES

ADJOURNMENT

If special accommodations are needed in order to participate in the board meeting, please contact the District office at 672-6763.
PEORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Action Item
April 14, 2020

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO TRANSPORTATION SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH FIRST STUDENT, INC.

Proposed Action:
That the Board of Education of the City of Peoria School District 150 approve an amendment to Transportation Services Agreement with First Student, Inc.

Background:
The Board of Education originally entered into a transportation services Agreement with First Student, Inc. on January 9, 2012 for the 2012-2013 school year. On August 13, 2019, the parties mutually amended the Agreement and extended the term to 2019-2020 school year.

With the recent closure of public schools in Illinois by Governor JB Pritzker effective March 17, 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the subsequent extension of the closure through April 30, 2020, the Parties agreed to amend the 2019-20 Agreement to allow for the continued payment of 80% of the transportation fees that First Student, Inc. would have been entitled to for regular routes had school continued to be in session during the Statewide ordered closure (excluding Spring Break). The payment will cover the salaries and benefits of First Student’s employees, as well as for other costs associated with maintaining the bus fleet during the school closure. It should be noted that this arrangement, which was recommended by the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE), ensures that when the school closure Order is lifted, First Student will be ready, willing, and able to immediately resume transportation services to the District. The amended Agreement takes effect on March 17, 2020 and will remain in effect until the earlier of the lifting of the Governor’s school closure Order or the termination of this Amendment by the District.

Respectfully submitted,

Joshua L. Collins
Director of Transportation

Approved for presentation to the Board of Education:

Dr. Sharon Desmoulin-Kherat
Superintendent