

ADJUST THE ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES AND THE GRADE STRUCTURE FOR FREDERICK FUNSTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND THE ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES FOR AMES MIDDLE SCHOOL

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

Effective July 1, 2009, adjust the attendance boundaries and grade structure for the Frederick Funston Elementary School ("Funston") located at 2010 North Central Park Avenue, and the attendance boundaries for Ames Middle School located at 1910 North Hamlin Avenue.

A public hearing was held on October 16, 2008 at the Chicago Board of Education Chambers located at 125 South Clark Street to discuss the proposed boundary changes.

DESCRIPTION:

These changes are possible due to the declining enrollment at Funston. This will allow the Funston to serve kindergarten through eighth grade in two years. Beginning in July 2009, Funston will move from serving kindergarten through sixth grade to serve kindergarten through seventh grade. In July 2010, Funston will move from serving kindergarten through seventh to serve kindergarten through eighth grade.

Adjust the Attendance Boundary and Grade Structure for Funston School (School ID # 609930)

Effective July 2009, Grades kindergarten through seventh (Grade eight attend Ames);

Beginning at Lawndale Ave and Dickens Ave
 East to St. Louis Ave
 North to Palmer St
 East to Spaulding Ave
 South to Dickens Ave
 East to Kedzie Ave
 South to Armitage Ave
 West to Sawyer Ave
 South to Cortland St
 West to Lawndale Ave
 North to the starting point

Effective July 2010, Grades kindergarten through eighth;

Beginning at Lawndale Ave and Dickens Ave
 East to St. Louis Ave
 North to Palmer St
 East to Spaulding Ave
 South to Dickens Ave
 East to Kedzie Ave
 South to Armitage Ave
 West to Sawyer Ave
 South to Cortland St
 West to Lawndale Ave
 North to the starting point

Adjust the Attendance Boundary and Grade Structure for Ames Middle School (School ID # 609780)

Effective July 2009, Grade-8 (Grades K-7 attend Funston);

Beginning at Lawndale Ave and Dickens Ave
East to St. Louis Ave
North to Palmer St
East to Spaulding Ave
South to Dickens Ave
East to Kedzie Ave
South to Armitage Ave
West to Sawyer Ave
South to Cortland St
West to Lawndale Ave
North to the starting point

Effective July 2009, Grades 7-8 (Grades K-6 attend Nixon, Mozart, McAuliffe);

Beginning at Kenneth Ave and Fullerton Ave
East to Kildare Ave
North to Wrightwood Ave
East to Hamlin Ave
South to Fullerton Ave
East to St. Louis Ave
South to Dickens Ave
West to Lawndale Ave
South to Cortland St
East to Drake Ave
South to the C.M.ST.P&P RR (at Bloomingdale Ave)
West to Kostner Ave
North to Cortland St
West to Kenneth Ave
North to the starting point

Effective July 2010, Grades 7-8 (Grades K-6 attend Nixon, Mozart, McAuliffe);

Beginning at Kenneth Ave and Fullerton Ave
East to Kildare Ave
North to Wrightwood Ave
East to Hamlin Ave
South to Fullerton Ave
East to St. Louis Ave
South to Dickens Ave
West to Lawndale Ave
South to Cortland St
East to Drake Ave
South to the C.M.ST.P&P RR (at Bloomingdale Ave)
West to Kostner Ave
North to Cortland St
West to Kenneth Ave
North to the starting point

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATUS: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: No additional cost to the Chicago Public Schools

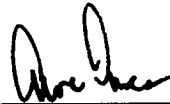
PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: These schools will be staffed according to the ratios in the Agreement between the Board of Education of the City of Chicago and the Chicago Teachers Union.

Approved for Consideration:

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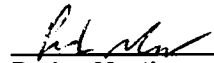
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Within Appropriation:

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