

AUTHORIZE THE RENAMING OF SCHOOLS**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:**

That the Chicago Board of Education approve the renaming of (1) Thomas Kelly High School as the Thomas Kelly College Preparatory, (2) Logandale Middle School as the Avondale – Logandale Elementary School.

DESCRIPTION:

Pursuant to the Policy on the Naming or Renaming of Schools, Board Report 03-0326-PO04:

- I. With respect to the recommendation to rename Thomas Kelly High School as the Thomas Kelly College Preparatory please note the following:
 - a. The Local School Council at Thomas Kelly High School:
 1. Conducted school-community meetings on November 9, 2018 and November 15, 2018, with proper notice, and received input on the proposed renaming of Kelly which was overwhelmingly in favor of the renaming; and
 2. Held a meeting on November 19, 2018, voting 7 to 0, with one abstaining, in favor of renaming Thomas Kelly High School as the Thomas Kelly College Preparatory.
 - b. After the Local School Council meeting of November 19, 2018, the Principal and the Chairperson of the Kelly Local School Council co-signed a letter to the Network 16 Network Chief of Schools recommending the renaming of Thomas Kelly High School as the Thomas Kelly College Preparatory.
 - c. The Network 16 Chief of Schools recommended this name change to the Chief Executive Officer.
 - d. If approved, the Thomas Kelly College Preparatory will work collaboratively with the Office of College and Career Success to develop a curriculum that is consistent with the College Preparatory designation.
- II. With respect to the recommendation to rename Logandale Middle School as the Avondale-Logandale Elementary please note the following:
 - a. The Local School Council at Logandale Middle School:
 1. Conducted school-community meetings on February 22, 2018 and February 7, 2019 with proper notice, and received input on the proposed renaming of Logandale which was overwhelmingly in favor of the renaming; and
 2. Held a meeting on February 19, 2019, voting 8 to 0 in favor of renaming Logandale Middle School as the Avondale-Logandale Elementary.
 - b. After the Local School Council meeting of February 19, 2019, the Principal and the Chairperson of the Logandale Local School Council co-signed a letter to the Network 4 Network Chief of Schools recommending the renaming of Logandale Middle School as the Avondale-Logandale Elementary.
 - c. The Network 4 Chief of Schools recommended this name change to the Chief Executive Officer.

FINANCIAL: Not applicable.

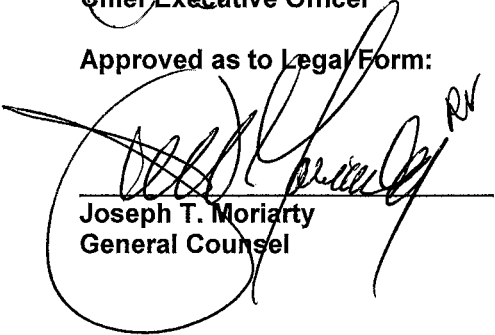
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