FINANCE-LEGISLATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Maine South High School
Frost Administration Center Board Room
1131 South Dee Road, Park Ridge
Friday, December 7, 2012
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Introductions
3. Approval of Minutes
4. New Business
5. Program: Veto Session Update and Spring Session Review

The Illinois General Assembly will be in Springfield during the two weeks preceding this meeting. Join us to talk about the major issues gaining traction under the dome, including gaming, increasing the state’s minimum wage, and pension reform. We’ll also continue our conversation about ED-RED’s approach to the Illinois State Board of Education’s considerations regarding GSA formula changes and talk about ways local districts can advocate for their funding priorities with their legislators. This will be an opportunity to talk with ED-RED staff in advance of the January lame duck session (scheduled for January 3rd-8th) – which many believe will be the week of major action on state pensions. We look forward to a lively discussion with our members!

6. Adjourn

Next Meetings

- **Monday, December 10, 2012, 1:00-3:00pm – School Finance Series.** Program: Mandated Categoricals. Special Guests: Dr. Judy Hackett (NSSEO) and Dr. Tim Thomas (NSSED). Note: lunch will be provided at this meeting.

- **Friday, January 18, 2013, 1:30-3:00pm – Joint ED-RED and Northwest Suburban School Business Officials Meeting.** Program: Pension Reform - What happened, what didn’t, and what it means for local districts. Special Guest: Andrew Malahowski (Franczek Radelet). Location: District #214 Forest View Administration Center, 2121 W. Goebbert Road in Arlington Heights

- **Monday, January 28, 2013, 6:00-9:00pm – 42nd Annual ED-RED Legislative Dinner at the Chicago Marriott O’Hare Hotel.** RSVP Required.