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**Perfunctory Session** 

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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to the Senate Rule 2-5(c)2, the Secretary of the Senate conducted the perfunctory session.

Silent prayer was observed.

#### REPORTS RECEIVED

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

2006 Disabilities Services Plan Update, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

Excellence in Academic Medicine, Payments for FY 2006, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services and the Department of Public Health.

Report on the Cost and Savings of the State Employee's Early Retirement Incentive Program, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Potential for Savings on Pharmacy Benefit Management Costs, April 2006, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Second Annual Report, 2005, Measuring Progress: Benchmarking Workforce Development in Illinois, submitted by the Illinois Workforce Investment Board.

Executive Summary Storm Drainage System Improvement Plan, Village of Montrose, Effingham County, IL, January 2006, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

School Finance Authority Annual Report and Plan, Round Lake School District 116, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

2005 Annual Report of the Illinois Labor Relations Board, submitted by the Illinois Labor Relations Board.

2004 EDGE Tax Credit Program Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

2005 EDGE Tax Credit Program Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Illinois Racing Board 2005 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Revenue.

Renewable Energy Resources Program Report, January through December 2005, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

2005 Energy Conservation Technical Assistance Update, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority's Financial Statements for the nine months ended March 31, 2006, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

The Reduction of Infant Mortality in Illinois, The Family Case Management Program and Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children Annual Report for SFY2005, submitted the Department of Human Services.

Centers for Independent Living FY 2005 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

Department of Public Health Review of the Illinois EPA decaBDE (decabromodiphenyl ether) Report as required by Section 30 of P.A. 094-0100, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

FY2006 Annual Report, Early Childhood Prevention Initiative Program, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

Executive Summary Judys Creek Stone Riffle Demonstration Project, Madison County, May 2006, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

Chicago Public Schools Legislative 265 Bi-Annual Report, submitted by the Public Building Commission of Chicago.

Government Building Energy Cost Reduction Report, May 26, 2006, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Energy Efficiency Trust Fund Program Report for January 2005 through December 2005, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Disproportionate Minority Contact in the Illinois Juvenile Justice System, 2006 Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Juvenile Justice System.

Certification for Designation as a High Impact Business, Triumph Foods, LLC, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

FY2005 Homeless Prevention Program Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

Service Taxes: History, Issues and Estimates – June 2006, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Underrepresented Groups in Illinois Higher Education for 2006, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

Federal Funds to State Agencies FY2004 – 2006, submitted by the Legislative Research Unit.

Social Security Number Protection Task Force Report, June 2006, submitted by the Social Security Number Protection Task Force.

2005 Annual Report of the Circuit Breaker Pharmaceutical Assistance Program, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Comprehensive Strategic Plan - June 2006 Report, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education

FY2006 Annual Report - Early Childhood Prevention Initiative Program, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

2005 Annual Report of the Chicago/Gary Regional Airport Authority, submitted by the Chicago/Gary Regional Airport Authority.

FY2006 Third Quarter Procurement Activity Report, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

Illinois State Building Energy Expense Study FY04 and Projected FY05 – 07, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Review of allocation of funds pursuant to the Food and Agriculture Research Act, submitted by the Department of Agriculture.

Quarterly Report for the period from 4/01/06 through 6/30/06, submitted by the Office of the Legislative Inspector General.

Amistad Commission Bi-annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Historic Preservation Agency.

Health Care Facilities in Illinois, Report of Annual Capital Expenditures – 2004, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

2006 Annual Report of the Illinois Workforce: Identifying Progress of Women and Minorities, submitted by the Department of Employment Security.

Annual Report 2006 of the Office of the Architect of the Capitol, submitted by the Office of the Architect of the Capitol.

Annual Report to the General Assembly on Executive Order Number 3, June 1, 2005 – June 30, 2006, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Report on Transfer of Energy Assistance Programs pursuant to Executive Order Number 3, June 1, 2004 – December 31, 2005, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Report on Transfer of the Circuit Breaker Pharmaceutical Assistance Program, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services and the Department on Aging.

Proposed Improvement for Illinois Highways FY 2007, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

2005 Annual Report and Financial Summaries, submitted by ICHIP.

Report on Emerging Money Managers FY 2006, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Investment.

Illinois State Building Energy Expense Study FY05 and Projected FY06-08, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Report on the Financial Condition of the Illinois Public Employee Retirement System, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Illinois' Cigarette Tax, Tobacco Products Tax, and Tobacco Settlement Update, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Summary Report, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Annual Report to the General Assembly in accordance with Section 5/4-201.16 of the Illinois Highway Code, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

Mercury-Free Vaccine Act Exemption Declaration pursuant to Public At 094-0614, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

Fiscal Year 2006 Annual Report, submitted by the Office of the State Appellate Defender.

Government Building Energy Cost Reduction Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Fiscal Year 2006 Report regarding the Use of Emerging Investment Managers, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System of Illinois.

Quarterly Report to the Legislature, July 1, 2006, Adult and Juvenile Facilities, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

Illinois Estate and Generation Skipping Transfer Tax, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

2006 Enterprise Zone Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Illinois Tollway System Preliminary Valuation Analysis, August 29, 2006, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

The Autism Program: Three Years of System Development, January 2006, submitted by The Autism Program (TAP) – The Hope School.

Quarterly Report to the Legislature, October 1, 2006, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

Quarterly Report to the Legislature, October 1, 2006,k, submitted by the Department of Juvenile Justice.

2006 Public Health Program Beneficiaries Employer Disclosure Law Report, submitted by Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority's FY 2006 Fourth Quarter Procurement Activity Report, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority's FY 2007 Affirmative Action Plan, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

Wagering in Illinois 2006 Update, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

2006 Higher Education Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

Government Privatization History, Examples, and Issues, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Minutes of the Meeting of the SIU Board of Trustees, submitted by the SIU Board of Trustees.

FY 2006 Report on Public University Revenues and Expenditures, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

The foregoing reports were ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary's Office.

### PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 754**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators: Mourns the death of Josephine Theresa "Jitter" Sumpter of Alton.

## SENATE RESOLUTION 755

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert Dale Schuler of Dow.

## SENATE RESOLUTION 756

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Michael G. Pohlman of Glen Carbon.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 757**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald L. Greer of Bethalto.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 758**

Offered by Senator E. Jones and all Senators:

Mourns the death of State Representative Lovana Jones of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 759**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William Kevin "Bill" Connell of Alton.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 760**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Manzili Jerome Davis.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 761**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ezekiel "Zeke" Johnson of Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 762**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mary Pauline Lesko Vadalabene of Edwardsville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 763**

Offered by Senator Shadid and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William M. "Billy" Proctor of Peoria.

## SENATE RESOLUTION 764

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Major General Jack M. Frisbie of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 765**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Vincent J. Jeep of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 766**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edna Earl Scott-Brown of Waukegan.

## SENATE RESOLUTION 767

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donna Rae Falatico (nee Hollenback) of Beach Park.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 768**

Offered by Senator Watson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of State Police Sergeant Rodney Todd Miller of Decatur.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 769**

Offered by Senator Raoul and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dr. James E. Jones of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 770**

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Shawn D. Davis.

### SENATE RESOLUTION 771

Offered by Senator Peterson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Leonard J. "Len" Kuskowski of Tower Lakes.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 772**

Offered by Senator Watson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ray Shaw of Decatur.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 773**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of John Noel of Glen Ellyn.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 774**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Georgianna Dutcher Sexton of Hinsdale.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 775**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edgar "Ed" Dulli of Naperville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 776**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald Karl Owens of Naperville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 777**

Offered by Senators E. Jones – Shadid and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Alexis Giannoulias of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 778**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edward Nelson of Edwardsville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 779**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of John Robert Hunter of Alton.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 780**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kay Pruitt of Alton.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 781**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert A. Bassi of Downers Grove.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 782**

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Harvey Headd, Jr., of Centreville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 783**

Offered by Senator Demuzio and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Corporal Ryan James Buckley of Oak Grove, Kentucky, formerly of Hillsboro.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 784**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of U.S. Air Force Staff Sergeant Keith Howard Brakeville of Alton.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION 785**

Offered by Senator J. Sullivan and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert V. Stevenson, Jr., of Lewistown.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 786**

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ronald Victor Rouse of Orlando, Florida, formerly of East St. Louis.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 787**

Offered by Senators J. Jones, Watson, Righter and all Senators: Mourns the death of Chief Warrant Officer Second Class Christopher Brian Donaldson of

Mourns the death of Chief Warrant Officer Second Class Christopher Brian Donaldson of Effingham.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION 788

Offered by Senator Shadid and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Almira Williams of Peoria.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 789**

Offered by Senator E. Jones and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Stella M. (DiCiaula) Terranova of Schaumburg.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 790**

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donna Fay Oplet of Belleville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 791**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Albert Blanchard, Sr.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 792**

Offered by Senator E. Jones and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Joseph Frank Roberts of Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 793**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rita J. Gaples of Mettawa.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 794**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Doris "Pat" Vanderventer of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 795**

Offered by Senator Meeks and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Idella Green of South Holland.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 796**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dr. John Kenneth Galbraith.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 797**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald J. Johnson of Alton.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 798**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Leroy William Siegel of Collinsville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 799**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Helen Sauper of Naperville.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION 800

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of the Reverend Nathan Norval Bartel of Wheaton, formerly of Naperville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 801**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Anthony Puccillo, Jr., of Westmont.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 802**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Sal L. Piazza, M.D., FACS, of Naperville, formerly of Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 803**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of David MacDonald Gooder of Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 804**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of O. Boyd Clow of Oswego.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 805**

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Roy Lee Nash.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 806**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Karl W. Fritze, Jr., of Metropolis.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 807**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William Robert "Bill" Malone of Carterville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 808**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Norma Jean Helleny.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 809**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Vivian Prusaczyk.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 810**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Michael James Dean of Johnston City.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 811**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Philip Colter Frey of Anna.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 812**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Irene L. Crompton of Herrin.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 813**

Offered by Senator E. Jones and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dr. Clinton Bristow, Jr., President of Alcorn State University.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 814**

Offered by Senator Petka and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Phillip "Phil" Francik of Plainfield.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 815**

Offered by Senator Peterson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Arnold Miller of Highland Park.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 816**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Warren Billhartz of Collinsville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 817**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Patrick William O'Brien of Evanston.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 818**

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of the Reverend Allan F. Kirk of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 819**

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Warren William Webster of Belleville.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 820**

Offered by Senator Dillard and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gerald S. Gidwitz of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 821**

Offered by Senator Shadid and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lois A. Giebelhausen of East Peoria.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 822**

Offered by Senator Sandoval and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Nola Virruso of Cicero.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 823**

Offered by Senator J. Sullivan and all Senators:

Mourns the death of U.S. Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Gary T. Rovinski of Roseville.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 824**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of J.C. Mitchell of Marion.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 825**

Offered by Senator Geo-Karis and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Marva Joyce Ryskiewicz of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 826**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lance H. Wuellner of Alton.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 827**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Glenda C. Bradford of Mt. Vernon.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 828**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Russell Oxford of Johnston City.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION 829**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Brian W. Walker of Herrin.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 830**

Offered by Senator Forby and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Sgt. Matthew J. Vosbein of Clarksville, TN, formerly of West Frankfort.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 831**

Offered by Senator Shadid and all Senators:

Mourns the death of David B. Simons of Peoria.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 832**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Mary Bridget "DonnieMae" Collins.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 833**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Petty Officer Jesse Lawrence Franklin, Jr., of Chicago.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION 834**

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Viveca Lynne Howell Mayes of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 835**

Offered by Senator Shadid and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Julius H. Waldschmidt of Henry.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 836**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lois Marie Christeson of Godfrey.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 837**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Harold Myron Cox of Brighton.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 838**

Offered by Senator E. Jones and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Grace Genevra Fair of Chicago.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 839**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ebert M. Grimes of East Alton.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 840**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Frank (Bunny) Fourez, Jr., of Christopher.

### **SENATE RESOLUTION 841**

Offered by Senator E. Jones and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Peggy Jane Lubin.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 842**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Francis Rees of Granite City.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 843**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rebecca Caldwell.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 844**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Harvey "Bud" Glover of Waukegan.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION 845

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of M. Bruce Jackman of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 846**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Estelle Kerpan, formerly of North Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 847**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rosemary Scherwat of Waukegan.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 848**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert E. Sirvidas of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 849**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Paul James "Bud" Christensen of Waukegan.

## SENATE RESOLUTION 850

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Patrick Keller of Waukegan.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION 851**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of John Tonin of Waukegan.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 852**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Wayne Charles VanHeirseele of Wheeling.

## **SENATE RESOLUTION 853**

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Daniel Joseph Paz of Gurnee.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION 854

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Chester Arthur Swopes of North Chicago.

The foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

## REPORT RECEIVED

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** The Honorable Emil Jones, Jr., Senate President

The Honorable Frank C. Watson, Senate Republican Leader The Honorable Michael J. Madigan, Speaker of the House The Honorable Tom Cross, House Republican Leader

FROM: Randy J. Dunn

State Superintendent of Education

**DATE:** September 29, 2006

RE: Waivers of School Code Mandates: Fall 2006 Waiver Summary Report

As required by Section 2-3.25g of the School Code (105 ILCS 5/2-3.25g), the following report provides summaries of requests for waivers of School Code mandates being transmitted to the Illinois General

Assembly for its consideration. Also included are summaries of requests for waivers and modifications acted on by the State Superintendent of Education in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code (105 ILCS 5/1A-4) and of applications that have been returned to school districts or other eligible applicants.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Darren Reisberg, General Counsel, at 217/782-8535

cc: The Honorable Rod R. Blagojevich, Governor Mark Mahoney, Clerk of the House Linda Hawker, Secretary of the Senate Legislative Research Unit State Government Report Center

#### **Executive Summary**

The following report outlines waivers of School Code mandates that school districts, regional offices of education, or special education or vocational education cooperatives have requested since the last report, which was transmitted in March 2006. Pursuant to Section 2-3.25g of the School Code (105 ILCS 5/2-3.25g), these requests must be sent to the General Assembly for its consideration before October 1, 2006.

The report is organized by subject area and by school district, regional office, or special education or vocational education cooperative. The General Assembly may disapprove the report in whole or in part within 60 calendar days after each chamber next convenes once the report is filed. This is done by a joint resolution. If either chamber fails to reject a waiver request, then that request is deemed granted.

Section I summarizes the 36 requests received for waivers of School Code mandates for consideration by the General Assembly, which are presented alphabetically by topic area. The largest number of applications received seeks waivers from Section 27-6 of the School Code regarding physical education (10 requests), followed by eight petitions regarding driver education, six addressing parent-teacher conferences, and five petitions each for administrative cost limitations and inservice training sessions. One petition each addresses evaluation plans and substitute teachers.

The request dealing with substitute teachers seeks authorization to employ substitutes for longer than the 90 days allowed under Section 21-9 of the School Code (see page 6 of the report).

This document also contains three other sections beyond what is required under Section 2-3.25g of the School Code. Section II lists the modifications or waivers of State Board of Education rules and modifications of School Code mandates acted on by the State Superintendent of Education in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code (105 ILCS 5/1A-4). Of the 156 approvals, 154 address legal school holidays and two pertain to substitute teachers.

Section III describes the 20 requests that have been returned to or withdrawn by the petitioning entities. Section IV shows all the requests submitted, organized by Senate and House district.

In addition, the requests received are summarized by subject area in a table following this Executive Summary. Complete copies of the waiver requests for the General Assembly's consideration have been made available to legislative staff.

This is the twenty-third report submitted pursuant to Section 2-3.25g of the School Code, which requires that the State Board of Education compile and submit requests for waivers of School Code mandates to the General Assembly before March 1 and October 1 of each year.

## Summary of Applications for Waivers and Modifications Volume 23 - Fall 2006

		Denied by	Transmitted	l Withdrawn
Topic	Approved	SBE	to GA	or Returned

Content of Evaluation Plans	0	0	1	0	
Driver Education	0	0	8	1	
Legal School Holidays	154	0	0	15	
Limitation of Administrative Costs	0	0	5	0	
Parent-Teacher Conferences	0	0	6	1	
Physical Education	0	0	10	1	
School Improvement/ Inservice Training Substitute Teachers	0 2	0	5 1	1 1	
Petition Summary	156	0	36	20	

TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS:

## 212

#### SECTION I

#### **Applications Transmitted to the General Assembly**

## Content of Evaluation Plans

Schaumburg CCSD 54 – Cook (SD 28/HD 56) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3966-2 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 24A-5) request to allow the district to replace the current rating scale of "excellent, satisfactory, and unsatisfactory" for a teacher evaluation process with ratings of "professional growth track – satisfactory" and "professional growth track – unsatisfactory." If approved, the waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## **Driver Education**

Lena Winslow CUSD 202 - Stephenson (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3827** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$100 of students who participate in driver education courses.

Highland Park THSD 113 – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3906** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$100 of students who participate in driver education courses.

A-C Central CUSD 262 – Cass (SD 47/HD 93) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3936 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$350 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Blue Ridge CUSD 18 – DeWitt (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM100-3946-1 – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$300 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Danville CCSD 118 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM100-3956-2 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$200 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Morrison CUSD 6 – Whiteside (SD 36/HD 71) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM100-3965** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$300 of students who participate in driver education courses.

Arlington Heights THSD 214 - Cook (SD 33/HD 66) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3969 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$350 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Mundelein CHSD 120 – Lake (SD 26/HD 51) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3972** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$500 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## Limitation of Administrative Cost

Dolton SD 148 – Cook (SD 15/HD 30) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

WM100-3867 – Waiver of School Code (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district changed its budgeting practices to record support programs under the special area administrative line rather than the special education program account, and its lease for copying equipment was renegotiated, causing the district to exceed the 5 percent limitation.

South Holland SD 150 – Cook (SD 15/HD 29) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM100-3958-1** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district hired a part-time director of curriculum and technology to help manage curriculum, apply for grants and write a technology plan, causing the district to exceed the 5 percent limitation.

South Holland SD 150 - Cook (SD 15/HD 29) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

WM100-3958-2 – Waiver of School Code (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district extended the part-time position of director of curriculum and technology to a full-time position and realigned the administrative budget to include the special education director, her secretary and the superintendent's secretary under a line item included in the calculation for the 5 percent administrative cost limitation.

Zion-Benton THSD 126 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

WM100-3970 – Waiver of School Code (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The 2005-06 budget was lower than anticipated since the district did not use any funds set aside for contingencies, although the district wishes to retain this reserve for the 2006-07 school year. Additional increases in administrative costs are due to an expansion of the district's bilingual program; a 6 percent increase in stipends paid to department chairpersons; increases in administrative personnel expenses due to a 20 percent enrollment increase in the last five years; and an increase in the amount and cost of supplies, materials and printing and duplication services provided to classroom teachers.

Prairie Grove CSD 46 – McHenry (SD 26/HD 52) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM100-3979** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district changed its budgeting practices using a different technology program that now allows for better and more specific identification of administrative expenses for special education and business support services, causing the district to exceed the 5 percent limitation.

## Parent-Teacher Conferences

Tuscola CUSD 301 – Douglas (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3811-1 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clockhours of student attendance and to use the following morning for at least three hours of parent-teacher conferences. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The evening and morning sessions will be counted among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Schiller Park SD 81 – Cook (SD 39/HD 77) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM100-3815 – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clock-hours of attendance twice during a given week. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Lombard SD 44 – DuPage (SD 21/HD 42) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3849** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following a half day of attendance twice during a given week. In addition, the district will hold afternoon conferences following the half day of student attendance. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Prairie Hill CCSD 133 – Winnebago (SD 35/HD 69) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3893-1 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences for three-and-a-half hours in the evening following a full day of attendance four times during a school term (fall and spring). One day during the fall and spring will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

ROE #9 R.E.A.D.Y. Program – Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM100-3907 – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the program the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clock-hours of attendance twice during a given week. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Harlem CSD 122 – Winnebago (SD 34/HD 68) / Expiration: 2008-09 school year

**WM100-3971** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences from noon to 7:30 p.m. on one day in the fall, with no students in attendance, and on two consecutive Thursday evenings in the spring from 4:45 to 8 p.m. following dismissal of students 10 minutes early. In the spring, one day following the evening conferences will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. In addition, a second conference time for prekindergarten and kindergarten parents will be held in the fall, following the consecutive Thursday schedule described above. The district will count the day-long conferences in the fall and the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

## Physical Education

Tuscola CUSD 301 – Douglas (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3811-2 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in cheerleading, pom-pons, band or vocal music. The request broadens the physical activities that would qualify for a physical education exemption, thereby providing students with greater access to fine arts and other academic coursework.

Aledo CUSD 201 - Mercer (SD 36/HD 72) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3813 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in cheerleading and pom-pons, and to excuse students in grades 9 and 10 for ongoing participation in interscholastic athletic programs. The request would allow the students to participate in more math and science classes and the school to offer tutorial programs for at-risk students during the school day rather than after school, both of which will help in reducing physical education class sizes to more manageable levels.

Ball-Chatham CUSD 5 – Sangamon (SD 50/HD 100) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3854-1** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in show choir. The district indicates that choreography combined with singing requires students to be in "top cardio-vascular shape", and rigorous daily practice sessions during and after the school day have activity levels that are comparable to those provided in physical education classes.

Addison SD 4 – DuPage (SD 23/HD 46) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3868 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to permit students in grades 1 through 5 to participate in physical education twice a week for 30 minutes each session. Students also participate in 20 minutes of activity during the lunch recess and in movement education for up to 30 minutes each day, which includes conflict resolution instruction.

Hononegah CHSD 207 - Winnebago (SD 34/HD 68) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

WM100-3927 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 10 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for one semester for ongoing participation in an interscholastic athletic program and to complete the academic course in which they are enrolled, should the sport season end before the course does. Students in grades 11 and 12 also will be excused from the physical education requirement if they both pass a pre-test for fitness and enroll in six academic courses.

Danville CCSD 118 - Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3956-1 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 and 10 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in an interscholastic athletic program, allowing students to maintain a "full academic load while attaining their physical fitness" by participating in the athletic program. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Cook County SD 130 - Cook (SD 14/HD 27) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3959** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to permit students in grades 1 through 5 to participate in physical education twice a week for 30 minutes each session. Reducing the number of days students attend each week will decrease class sizes from 40 to 50 students per class to 20 to 25 students per class. Smaller classes will enable the district to provide safer and more effective instruction. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

City of Chicago SD 299 - Cook (SD 3/HD 5) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM100-3961 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 11 and 12 from the daily physical education requirement in order for these students to enroll in additional academic courses needed to meet the district's graduation requirements. The revised requirements are designed to improve student performance by increasing the requirements for math and science and adding requirements in foreign language and career education. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Champaign CUSD 4 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3963 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in cheerleading and pom-pons, and to excuse students in grades 9 and 10 for ongoing participation in interscholastic athletic programs. As support for the request, the district cites the rigorous nature of the interscholastic athletic programs and cheerleading and states that these programs and activities will assist students in meeting the Illinois Learning Standards for Physical Development.

Sterling CUSD 5 – Whiteside (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2012-13 school year

WM100-3987 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to permit students in grades 1 through 5 to participate in physical education twice a week for 25 minutes each session. Students will also have 20 minutes of recess each day, structured physical activities in the classroom and opportunities to participate in the park district's athletic programs after school. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2008-09 school year.

## School Improvement/Inservice Training

Macomb CUSD 185 – McDonough (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3935** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to hold two full-day teacher inservice sessions instead of four half days, and to count the days among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. The district will accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement to apply towards these days. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Kaneland CUSD 302 - Kane, DeKalb (SD 25/HD 50) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3937 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to hold five full-day teacher inservice sessions instead of 10 half days, and to count the days among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. The district will accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement to apply towards these days. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Paris CUSD 4 – Edgar (SD 55/HD 109) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3964 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to dismiss students two and a half hours early on each of the first five days of the school year. The district would accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement during the remainder of the school year to apply towards these days in order to count them among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. If approved, the waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Paris-Union SD 95 – Edgar (SD 55/HD 109) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3977** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to dismiss students two hours early on each of the first five days of the school year. The district would accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement during the remainder of the school year to apply towards these days in order to count them among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. If approved, the waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Urbana SD 116 – Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3978** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to hold six full-day teacher inservice sessions instead of six half days, and to count the days among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. The district will accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement to apply towards these days.

### Substitute Teachers

Schaumburg CCSD 54 - Cook (SD 28/HD 56) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3966-1 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 21-9) request to allow the district to employ substitute teachers for more than 90 days in any one school year. Whether a substitute is used will be based on his or her performance rather than on the time limits established under the School Code.

#### SECTION II

Applications Approved by the State Superintendent of Education in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code

#### **Holidays**

Benton CHSD 103 – Franklin (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3791 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Auburn CUSD 10 – Sangamon (SD 50/HD 100) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3792 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

McHenry CHSD 156 - McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3793 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Kinnikinnick CCSD 131 – Winnebago (SD 34/HD 68) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3794 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Northbrook SD 27 – Cook (SD 29/HD 57) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3795 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor and to schedule an inservice training session or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Casimir Pulaski, provided that instruction pertaining to his contributions is provided. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education.

Henry-Senachwine CUSD 5 – Marshall (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3796 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Park Ridge CCSD 64 – Cook (SD 33/HD 65) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3797 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. In addition, the holiday recognizing Casimir Pulaski may be used for a records planning day with staff in attendance only; in that instance, the required instruction will be provided to students on a day other than the holiday.

Cambridge CUSD 227 – Henry (SD 37/HD 74) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3798 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Barry CUSD 1 – Pike, Adams (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3799 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Glenview CCSD 34 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3800 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

McHenry CCSD 15 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3801 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Grant CHSD 124 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3803 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Tazewell-Mason Counties Special Education Association - Tazewell, Mason (SD 46/HD 91) /

Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3804 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the association to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

La Salle-Peru THSD 120 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3805** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Rochelle THSD 212 – Ogle (SD 35/HD 70) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3806 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

River Forest SD 90 – Cook (SD 4/HD 7) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3807 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Madison CUSD 12 – Madison (SD 57/HD 114) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3808** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Zion ESD 6 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3809 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Pinckneyville SD 50 – Perry (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3810 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Tuscola CUSD 301 – Douglas (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3811-3 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Kendall County Special Education Cooperative – Kendall (SD 25/HD 50) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3812 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the cooperative to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Lyons THSD 204 - Cook (SD 41/HD 82) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3814 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Hamilton CCSD 328 - Hancock (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3816 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Johnston City CUSD 1 – Williamson (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3817 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Hamilton County CUSD 10 - Hamilton (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3818 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Crystal Lake CHSD 155 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 64) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3819 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Wilmette SD 39 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3820 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor, and to schedule an inservice training program on the holiday honoring Christopher Columbus, provided that instruction pertaining to his contributions is provided.

Creve Coeur SD 76 – Tazewell (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3822 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans for foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Minooka CCSD 201 – Grundy (SD 38/HD 75) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3823 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Southeastern CUSD 337 - Hancock (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3824 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Oak Grove SD 68 – Lake (SD 30/HD 59) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3825 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Evergreen Park ESD 124 – Cook (SD 18/HD 36) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3826 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

DeKalb CUSD 428 – DeKalb (SD 35/HD 70) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3828 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Illini Central CUSD 189 – Mason (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3829 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Community Unit School District 3 Fulton County - Fulton (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3830 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, members of the U.S. labor force, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Woodlawn CCSD 4 – Jefferson (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3831 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Fieldcrest CUSD 6 – Woodford (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3832 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

New Athens CUSD 60 – St. Clair, Monroe (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3833 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Riley CCSD 18 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3834 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Wheaton CUSD 200 – DuPage (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3835 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Mattoon CUSD 2 - Coles (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3836 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Metamora THSD 122 – Woodford (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3837 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Midlothian SD 143 – Cook (SD 15/HD 30) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3838** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, a school improvement day or parent-teacher conferences on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Lake Forest SD 67 – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3839 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

*Braceville ESD 75 – Grundy* (SD 38/HD 75) / **Expiration: 2009-10 school year** 

**WM300-3840 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Monmouth-Roseville CUSD 238 - Warren (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3841** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Washington District 50 Schools - Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3842 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Marengo CHSD 154 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3843 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Tri Valley CUSD 3 – McLean (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3844 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Peoria Heights CUSD 325 – Peoria (SD 46/HD 92) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3845 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Jamaica CUSD 12 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3846 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Woodland CCSD 50 – Lake (SD 31/HD 62) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM300-3848 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Hawthorn CCSD 73 - Lake (SD 30/HD 59) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3851 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Pikeland CUSD 10 – Pike (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3852** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Carrier Mills-Stonefort CUSD 2 - Saline, Williamson (SD 59/HD 118) / Expiration: 2010-11 school vear

WM300-3853 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Ball-Chatham CUSD 5 - Sangamon (SD 50/HD 100) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3854-2 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

LaSalle ESD 122 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3855** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Steger SD 194 - Cook (SD 40/HD 80) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3856 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Oglesby ESD 125 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3857 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Bensenville SD 2 – DuPage (SD 23/HD 46) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

WM300-3860 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Batavia USD 101 – Kane (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3861 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Lake Bluff ESD 65 – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

**WM300-3862 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Arlington Heights CCSD 59 - Cook (SD 33/HD 66) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3863 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Harrison SD 36 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3864 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Geff CCSD 14 – Wayne (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3865 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

United CUSD 304 – Warren (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3866 - Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the

contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Washington SD 52 – Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3870 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Cobden USD 17 – Union (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3871 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Pennoyer SD 79 – Cook (SD 33/HD 65) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3872 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Byron CUSD 226 – Ogle (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3873 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Northfield THSD 225 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM300-3874-1 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Northfield THSD 225 - Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3874-2 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Astoria CUSD 1 – Fulton (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3875 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Tri-Point CUSD 6-J – Ford, Iroquois, Kankakee, Livingston (SD 53/HD 105) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3877 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor

*I-Kan Regional Office of Education 32 – Kankakee, Iroquois* (SD 40/HD 79) / **Expiration: 2010-11 school year** 

**WM300-3878** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor for students in its regional safe schools and truants' alternative and optional education programs.

Cherry SD 92 – Bureau (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3879 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Waverly CUSD 6 - Morgan (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3880 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Washington CHSD 308-Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106)/Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3881 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Winnetka SD 36 – Cook (SD 9/HD 18) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3882 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance or student attendance with a half-day inservice training session on the legal holiday honoring Christopher Columbus. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Crab Orchard CUSD 3 – Williamson (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3883** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Kansas CUSD 3 - Clark, Coles, Edgar (SD 55/HD 109) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3884 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Atwood Hammond CUSD 39 – Piatt (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3885 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Schaumburg CCSD 54 - Cook (SD 28/HD 56) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3886 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Berwyn North SD 98 – Cook (SD 4/HD 8) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3889** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Lovington CUSD 303 – Moultrie (SD 51/HD 101) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3890 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Prairie Hill CCSD 133 – Winnebago (SD 35/HD 69) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3893-2 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Princeville CUSD 326 - Marshall, Peoria (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3894 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Rockridge CUSD 300 - Rock Island (SD 36/HD 72) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3895 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Edwardsville CUSD 7 – Madison (SD 56/HD 112) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3896 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor

Oregon CUSD 220 – Ogle (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3897 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Central SD 51 – Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3898 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Woodlawn CHSD 205 – Jefferson (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3899 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Ogle County Special Education Cooperative 801 – Ogle (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3900 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the cooperative to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Columbus Day, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Beecher CUSD 200U – Will (SD 40/HD 80) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3901 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Oakdale CCSD 1 – Washington (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3902 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Wood River-Hartford ESD 15 - Madison (SD 56/HD 111) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3903 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Danville CCSD 118 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3904 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance or an inservice training session on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Sherrard CUSD 200 - Rock Island, Mercer (SD 36/HD 72) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3905 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Eswood CCSD 269 – Ogle (SD 35/HD 70) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3908 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Northern Suburban Special Education District – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3909 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski or to schedule inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Casimir Pulaski. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Franklin CUSD 1 – Morgan, Greene, Macoupin (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year WM300-3910 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Cornell CHSD 70 – Livingston (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3911 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Cornell CCSD 426 – Livingston (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3912 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Smithton CCSD 130 – St. Clair (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3913 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Lyons ESD 102 -- Cook (SD 11/HD 21) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3914 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Spring Lake CCSD 606 – Tazewell (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3915 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Prospect Heights SD 23 – Cook (SD 27/HD 53) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3916 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, or Christopher Columbus. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Regional Office of Education #47 Rock River Challenge Program - Lee, Ogle (SD 45/HD 90) /

Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3917** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative education program.

Beecher City CUSD 20 – Effingham (SD 51/HD 102) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3918 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Vienna HSD 13-3 – Johnson (SD 59/HD 118) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3919 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Alton CUSD 11 - Madison (SD 56/HD 111) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3920 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Winfield SD 34 – DuPage (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3921 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

River Ridge CUSD 210 – Jo Daviess (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3922 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Boone/Winnebago Regional Alternative School – Boone, Winnebago (SD 34/HD 67) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3923** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative education program.

Tremont CUD 702 – Tazewell (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3924 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Ridgewood CHSD 234 – Cook (SD 10/HD 20) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3926 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

AlWood CUSD 225 – Henry (SD 37/HD 74) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3928 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-06 school year.

New Hope CCSD 6 – Wayne (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3931 (renewal) - Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize

the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Boone/Winnebago Regional Learning Academy – Boone, Winnebago (SD 34/HD 67) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3932 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative education program.

Crescent-Iroquois CUSD 249 – Iroquois (SD 53/HD 105) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3934 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Millstadt CCSD 160 - St. Clair (SD 57/HD 114) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3938 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Sangamon Valley CUSD 9 – Macon (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3939 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Jasper CCSD 17 – Wayne (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3940 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Wheaton CUSD 200 – DuPage (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3941 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Freeburg CCSD 70 – St. Clair (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3942 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

School District 45 DuPage County - DuPage (SD 23/HD 46) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3943 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Leepertown CCSD 175 – Bureau (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3944 (renewal) - Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Blue Ridge CUSD 18 – DeWitt (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3946-2 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, parent-teacher conferences, inservice training sessions, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of

foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Dakota CUSD 201 – Stephenson (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3947 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Orion CUSD 223 – Henry (SD 36/HD 71) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3948 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

COPE Alternative School – Jackson (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3949 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative school.

Liberty CUSD 2 – Adams, Pike (SD 47/HD 93) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3950 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

St. Joseph-Odgen CHSD 305 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3951 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Gallatin County CUSD 7 - Gallatin (SD 59/HD 118) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3952 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Red Brick School – Monroe, Randolph (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3953** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor for those students enrolled in its alternative school.

Skokie SD 68 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3954 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Deer Park CCSD 82 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3955 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Orland Park CHSD 230 – Cook (SD 19/HD 37) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3957** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

South Holland SD 150 – Cook (SD 15/HD 29) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3958-3 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Limestone Walters CCSD 316 – Peoria (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3960 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Regional Office of Education #13 Safe School and Truants' Alternative and Optional Education Program – Clinton, Marion, Washington (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3962 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor for those students enrolled in its alternative school and truants' program.

Tri-City CUSD 1 – Sangamon (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3967** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Gillespie CUSD 7 – Macoupin (SD 49/HD 98) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3973 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Germantown SD 60 - Clinton (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3974 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Prairieview-Ogden CCSD 197 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3976** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Sesser-Valier CUSD 196 – Franklin (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3980 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Downers Grove CHSD 99 – DuPage (SD 24/HD 47) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3981 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Spring Valley CCSD 99 – Bureau (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3982 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, members of the armed forces killed in war, members of the labor force, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Oak Lawn CHSD 218 - Cook (SD 18/HD 36) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3983 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Pleasantdale SD 107 – Cook (SD 41/HD 82) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3984 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Olympia CUSD 16 – McLean (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3985** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Eastland CUSD 308 – Carroll (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3986 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Kenilworth SD 38 - Cook (SD 9/HD 18) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3988 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

North Clay CUSD 25 - Clay (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3989 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## Substitute Teachers

La Grange SD 102 – Cook (SD 21/HD 41) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM300-3858** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 21-9) allows the district to employ a substitute teacher for up to 120 paid school days due to an extended medical leave of the classroom teacher. The substitute teacher will exceed her 90-day limit at the end of April 2006, and the district believes having a different substitute complete the school year, which ends June 9, 2006, will be academically detrimental to the students.

Park Forest SD 163 – Cook (SD 19/HD 38) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM300-3892 – Modification of School Code** (Section 21-9) allows the district to employ no more than three substitute teachers for up to 120 paid school days due to a shortage of available substitutes (i.e., those who have not exceeded their 90-day limit) at the end of the school year.

#### SECTION III

## **Applications Returned to Applicants**

Listed below are several categories of requests that have been returned to applicants. Some of these applicants sought permission for actions that were already permissible under the law or rules. Other requests were returned because they were ineligible under the law (e.g., mandates not found in the School Code, applicant is not eligible to apply, application incomplete).

### NO WAIVER NEEDED

## Driver Education

Carpentersville CUSD 300 – Kane (SD 22/HD 43) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM200-3891 (renewal)** – **Waiver of Administrative Rules** (23 Illinois Administrative Code 252.20(c)(1)). The district requested to be allowed to schedule the 30 hours of classroom instruction for driver's education over four and a half weeks rather than six weeks during the school term due to a 4-

block schedule. In 2002, the State Board of Education amended its rules to allow the course to be offered over a four-week period for districts employing block scheduling.

#### **Physical Education**

*Taft SD 90 – Will* (SD 43/HD 85) / **Expiration: 2010-11 school year** 

**WM300-3887-1 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 27-6). The district requested to be allowed to schedule physical education on a block-schedule basis (45 minutes three times a week rather than 22 minutes on a daily basis) for students in kindergarten through grade 8. P.A. 94-198, effective January 1, 2006, amended Section 27-6(a) of the School Code to allow an exception to the daily physical education requirement for school districts employing block scheduling.

## INELIGIBLE

#### Holidays

Metamora THSD 122 - Woodford (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3802** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal school holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski. The school district published in its newspaper a date for the public hearing that was different than the date the hearing was held.

Dimmick SD 175 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3821 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Lovington CUSD 303 – Moultrie (SD 51/HD 101) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3859 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to hold a public hearing to consider the request on a day other than when a regular board meeting is held.

Lovington CUSD 303 – Moultrie (SD 51/HD 101) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3876 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

*Taft SD 90 – Will* (SD 43/HD 85) / **Expiration: 2010-11 school year** 

**WM300-3887-2 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to publish a notice about the public hearing held to consider the request in a newspaper of general circulation for the district.

Pleasant Hill CUSD 3 – Pike, Calhoun (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3888** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to hold a public hearing to consider the request on a day other than when a regular board meeting is held.

Germantown SD 60 - Clinton (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3929 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Central City SD 133 – Marion (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3930 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Grass Lake SD 36 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3933 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Durand CUSD 322 – Winnebago (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3945** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and Casimir Pulaski. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Signal Hill SD 181 – St. Clair (SD 57/HD 113) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3968** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to publish a notice about the public hearing held to consider the request in a newspaper of general circulation for the district.

Riverdale SD 14 – Whiteside (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3975** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to properly provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Rosemont SD 78 – Cook (SD 39/HD 77) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3990 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Marion CUSD 2 – Williamson (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3991 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

## Parent-Teacher Conferences

ROE #9 R.E.A.D.Y. Program - Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3850** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)). The regional office requested to be allowed to schedule parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clock-hours of student attendance twice during a given week for students attending its Regional Safe Schools Program. The regional office failed to provide notices of the public hearing held to consider the request.

### School Improvement/Inservice Training

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WM100-3925 – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)). The district requested to be allowed to hold six full-day inservice training sessions instead of six half days. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

## WITHDRAWN

## **Holidays**

Catlin CUSD 5 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3847 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to schedule student attendance on the holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The district has an approved modification that is in effect through the 2008-09 school year.

## Substitute Teachers

Park Forest SD 163 – Cook (SD 19/HD 38) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM300-3869** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 21-9). The district withdrew its petition to employ up to 28 substitute teachers for no more than 130 paid school days during a school term rather than to limit their substitutes to a maximum of 90 paid school days.

#### SECTION IV

## **Applications by Senate and House Districts**

All requests received during this waiver cycle are presented numerically by Senate and House district, and then alphabetically by school district or eligible applicant. The "action" to be taken or already taken for each request is noted; that is, requests for waivers upon which the General Assembly must act are noted as "waivers", modifications already acted upon by the State Superintendent of Education in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code are noted as "modifications", and requests that were returned for a variety of reasons are listed under their respective legislative district.

# **SD 3/HD 5**

City of Chicago SD 299 – Cook (SD 3/HD 5) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM100-3961 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 11 and 12 from the daily physical education requirement in order for these students to enroll in additional academic courses needed to meet the district's graduation requirements. The revised requirements are designed to improve student performance by increasing the requirements for math and science and adding requirements in foreign language and career education. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# **SD 4/HD 7**

River Forest SD 90 – Cook (SD 4/HD 7) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3807 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# **SD 4/HD 8**

Berwyn North SD 98 – Cook (SD 4/HD 8) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3889 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

# SD 9/HD 17

Glenview CCSD 34 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3800 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Northfield THSD 225 - Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM300-3874-1 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Northfield THSD 225 - Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3874-2 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Skokie SD 68 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3954 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Wilmette SD 39 – Cook (SD 9/HD 17) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3820 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor, and to schedule an inservice training program on the holiday honoring Christopher Columbus, provided that instruction pertaining to his contributions is provided.

# SD 9/HD 18

Kenilworth SD 38 – Cook (SD 9/HD 18) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3988 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Winnetka SD 36 - Cook (SD 9/HD 18) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3882** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance or student attendance with a half-day inservice training session on the legal holiday honoring Christopher Columbus. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

#### SD 10/HD 20

Ridgewood CHSD 234 – Cook (SD 10/HD 20) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3926 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 11/HD 21

Lyons ESD 102 -- Cook (SD 11/HD 21) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3914 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

#### SD 14/HD 27

Cook County SD 130 – Cook (SD 14/HD 27) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3959** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to permit students in grades 1 through 5 to participate in physical education twice a week for 30 minutes each session. Reducing the number of days students attend each week will decrease class sizes from 40 to 50 students per class to 20 to 25 students per class. Smaller classes will enable the district to provide safer and more effective instruction. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## SD 15/HD 29

South Holland SD 150 – Cook (SD 15/HD 29) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM100-3958-1** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district hired a part-time director of curriculum and technology to help manage curriculum, apply for grants and write a technology plan, causing the district to exceed the 5 percent limitation.

South Holland SD 150 - Cook (SD 15/HD 29) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

WM100-3958-2 - Waiver of School Code (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the

limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district extended the parttime position of director of curriculum and technology to a full-time position and realigned the administrative budget to include the special education director, her secretary and the superintendent's secretary under a line item included in the calculation for the 5 percent administrative cost limitation.

South Holland SD 150 – Cook (SD 15/HD 29) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3958-3 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

#### SD 15/HD 30

Dolton SD 148 - Cook (SD 15/HD 30) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM100-3867** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district changed its budgeting practices to record support programs under the special area administrative line rather than the special education program account, and its lease for copying equipment was renegotiated, causing the district to exceed the 5 percent limitation.

Midlothian SD 143 – Cook (SD 15/HD 30) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3838** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, a school improvement day or parent-teacher conferences on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

# **SD 18/HD 36**

Evergreen Park ESD 124 - Cook (SD 18/HD 36) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3826 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Oak Lawn CHSD 218 – Cook (SD 18/HD 36) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3983 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

#### SD 19/HD 37

Orland Park CHSD 230 – Cook (SD 19/HD 37) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3957** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 19/HD 38

Park Forest SD 163 - Cook (SD 19/HD 38) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM300-3869** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 21-9). The district withdrew its petition to employ up to 28 substitute teachers for no more than 130 paid school days during a school term rather than to limit their substitutes to a maximum of 90 paid school days.

Park Forest SD 163 – Cook (SD 19/HD 38) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM300-3892** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 21-9) allows the district to employ no more than three substitute teachers for up to 120 paid school days due to a shortage of available substitutes (i.e., those who have not exceeded their 90-day limit) at the end of the school year.

# SD 21/HD 41

La Grange SD 102 – Cook (SD 21/HD 41) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM300-3858** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 21-9) allows the district to employ a substitute teacher for up to 120 paid school days due to an extended medical leave of the classroom teacher. The substitute teacher will exceed her 90-day limit at the end of April 2006, and the district believes having a different substitute complete the school year, which ends June 9, 2006, will be academically detrimental to the students.

## SD 21/HD 42

Lombard SD 44 – DuPage (SD 21/HD 42) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3849** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following a half day of attendance twice during a given week. In addition, the district will hold afternoon conferences following the half day of student attendance. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

# SD 22/HD 43

Carpentersville CUSD 300 – Kane (SD 22/HD 43) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM200-3891 (renewal)** – **Waiver of Administrative Rules** (23 Illinois Administrative Code 252.20(c)(1)). The district requested to be allowed to schedule the 30 hours of classroom instruction for driver's education over four and a half weeks rather than six weeks during the school term due to a 4-block schedule. In 2002, the State Board of Education amended its rules to allow the course to be offered over a four-week period for districts employing block scheduling.

# SD 23/HD 46

Addison SD 4 – DuPage (SD 23/HD 46) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3868 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to permit students in grades 1 through 5 to participate in physical education twice a week for 30 minutes each session. Students also participate in 20 minutes of activity during the lunch recess and in movement education for up to 30 minutes each day, which includes conflict resolution instruction.

Bensenville SD 2 – DuPage (SD 23/HD 46) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

**WM300-3860** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

School District 45 DuPage County – DuPage (SD 23/HD 46) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year WM300-3943 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# SD 24/HD 47

Downers Grove CHSD 99 – DuPage (SD 24/HD 47) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3981 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## SD 25/HD 50

Kaneland CUSD 302 - Kane, DeKalb (SD 25/HD 50) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3937 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to hold five full-day teacher inservice sessions instead of 10 half days, and to count the days among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. The district will accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement to apply towards these days. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Kendall County Special Education Cooperative – Kendall (SD 25/HD 50) / Expiration: 2010-11 school vear

**WM300-3812 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the cooperative to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

## SD 26/HD 51

Mundelein CHSD 120 – Lake (SD 26/HD 51) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3972** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$500 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# SD 26/HD 52

Prairie Grove CSD 46 – McHenry (SD 26/HD 52) / Expiration: 2005-06 school year

**WM100-3979** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The district changed its budgeting practices using a different technology program that now allows for better and more specific identification of administrative expenses for special education and business support services, causing the district to exceed the 5 percent limitation.

## SD 27/HD 53

Prospect Heights SD 23 – Cook (SD 27/HD 53) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3916 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, or Christopher Columbus. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

## SD 28/HD 56

Schaumburg CCSD 54 - Cook (SD 28/HD 56) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3886 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

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**WM100-3966-1 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 21-9) request to allow the district to employ substitute teachers for more than 90 days in any one school year. Whether a substitute is used will be based on his or her performance rather than on the time limits established under the School Code.

Schaumburg CCSD 54 – Cook (SD 28/HD 56) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3966-2 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 24A-5) request to allow the district to replace the current rating scale of "excellent, satisfactory, and unsatisfactory" for a teacher evaluation process with ratings of "professional growth track – satisfactory" and "professional growth track – unsatisfactory." If approved, the waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## SD 29/HD 57

Northbrook SD 27 - Cook (SD 29/HD 57) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3795 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor and to schedule an inservice training session or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Casimir Pulaski, provided that instruction pertaining to his contributions is provided. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education.

#### SD 29/HD 58

Highland Park THSD 113 - Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3906** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$100 of students who participate in driver education courses.

Lake Bluff ESD 65 – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

**WM300-3862 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Lake Forest SD 67 – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3839 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Northern Suburban Special Education District – Lake (SD 29/HD 58) / Expiration: 2010-11 school vear

WM300-3909 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski or to schedule inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Casimir Pulaski. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

#### SD 30/HD 59

Hawthorn CCSD 73 - Lake (SD 30/HD 59) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3851 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Oak Grove SD 68 - Lake (SD 30/HD 59) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3825 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 31/HD 61

Grant CHSD 124 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3803 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Grass Lake SD 36 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3933 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Zion ESD 6 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3809** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Zion-Benton THSD 126 – Lake (SD 31/HD 61) / Expiration: 2006-07 school year

WM100-3970 – Waiver of School Code (Section 17-1.5) request to allow the district to waive the limitation of administrative costs due to circumstances beyond its control. The 2005-06 budget was lower than anticipated since the district did not use any funds set aside for contingencies, although the

district wishes to retain this reserve for the 2006-07 school year. Additional increases in administrative costs are due to an expansion of the district's bilingual program; a 6 percent increase in stipends paid to department chairpersons; increases in administrative personnel expenses due to a 20 percent enrollment increase in the last five years; and an increase in the amount and cost of supplies, materials and printing and duplication services provided to classroom teachers.

## SD 31/HD 62

Woodland CCSD 50 – Lake (SD 31/HD 62) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

WM300-3848 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 32/HD 63

Harrison SD 36 - McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3864 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Marengo CHSD 154 - McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3843 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

McHenry CCSD 15 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3801 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

McHenry CHSD 156 - McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3793 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Riley CCSD 18 – McHenry (SD 32/HD 63) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3834 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 32/HD 64

Crystal Lake CHSD 155 - McHenry (SD 32/HD 64) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3819 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

## SD 33/HD 65

Park Ridge CCSD 64 – Cook (SD 33/HD 65) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3797 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. In addition, the holiday recognizing Casimir Pulaski may be used for a records planning day with staff in attendance only; in that instance, the required instruction will be provided to students on a day other than the holiday.

Pennoyer SD 79 – Cook (SD 33/HD 65) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3872 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

#### SD 33/HD 66

Arlington Heights CCSD 59 - Cook (SD 33/HD 66) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3863 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Arlington Heights THSD 214 – Cook (SD 33/HD 66) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM100-3969 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$350 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# SD 34/HD 67

Boone/Winnebago Regional Alternative School – Boone, Winnebago (SD 34/HD 67) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3923 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative education program.

Boone/Winnebago Regional Learning Academy – Boone, Winnebago (SD 34/HD 67) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3932 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative education program.

### SD 34/HD 68

Harlem CSD 122 – Winnebago (SD 34/HD 68) / Expiration: 2008-09 school year

**WM100-3971 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences from noon to 7:30 p.m. on one day in the fall, with no students in attendance, and on two consecutive Thursday evenings in the spring from 4:45 to 8 p.m. following dismissal of students 10 minutes early. In the spring, one day following the evening conferences will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. In addition, a second conference time for prekindergarten and kindergarten parents will be held in the fall, following the consecutive Thursday schedule described above. The district will count the day-long conferences in the fall and the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Hononegah CHSD 207 – Winnebago (SD 34/HD 68) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

WM100-3927 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 10 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for one semester for ongoing participation in an interscholastic athletic program and to complete the academic course in which they are enrolled, should the sport season end before the course does. Students in grades 11 and 12 also will be excused from the physical education requirement if they both pass a pre-test for fitness and enroll in six academic courses.

Kinnikinnick CCSD 131 – Winnebago (SD 34/HD 68) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3794 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

### SD 35/HD 69

Prairie Hill CCSD 133 - Winnebago (SD 35/HD 69) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3893-1** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences for three-and-a-half hours in the evening following a full day of attendance four times during a school term (fall and spring). One day during the fall and spring will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Prairie Hill CCSD 133 – Winnebago (SD 35/HD 69) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3893-2 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 35/HD 70

DeKalb CUSD 428 – DeKalb (SD 35/HD 70) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3828 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Eswood CCSD 269 – Ogle (SD 35/HD 70) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3908 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Rochelle THSD 212 – Ogle (SD 35/HD 70) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3806 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 36/HD 71

Morrison CUSD 6 – Whiteside (SD 36/HD 71) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM100-3965** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$300 of students who participate in driver education courses.

Orion CUSD 223 – Henry (SD 36/HD 71) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3948 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD\_36/HD 72

Aledo CUSD 201 – Mercer (SD 36/HD 72) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM100-3813 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in cheerleading and pom-pons, and to excuse students in grades 9 and 10 for ongoing participation in interscholastic athletic programs. The request would allow the students to participate in more math and science classes and the school to offer tutorial programs for at-risk students during the school day rather than after school, both of which will help in reducing physical education class sizes to more manageable levels.

Rockridge CUSD 300 – Rock Island (SD 36/HD 72) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3895 - Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the

contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Sherrard CUSD 200 - Rock Island, Mercer (SD 36/HD 72) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3905 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor

## SD 37/HD 73

Henry-Senachwine CUSD 5 – Marshall (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3796 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Limestone Walters CCSD 316 - Peoria (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3960 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Metamora THSD 122 – Woodford (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3802 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal school holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski. The school district published in its newspaper a date for the public hearing that was different than the date the hearing was held.

Metamora THSD 122 - Woodford (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3837 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Princeville CUSD 326 – Marshall, Peoria (SD 37/HD 73) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3894 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

#### SD 37/HD 74

AlWood CUSD 225 - Henry (SD 37/HD 74) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3928 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-06 school year.

Cambridge CUSD 227 – Henry (SD 37/HD 74) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3798 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

## SD 38/HD 75

Braceville ESD 75 – Grundy (SD 38/HD 75) / Expiration: 2009-10 school year

**WM300-3840 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Minooka CCSD 201 – Grundy (SD 38/HD 75) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3823 (renewal) - Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize

the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 38/HD 76

Cherry SD 92 – Bureau (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3879** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Deer Park CCSD 82 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3955 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Dimmick SD 175 - LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3821 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

LaSalle ESD 122 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3855 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

La Salle-Peru THSD 120 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3805** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Leepertown CCSD 175 – Bureau (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3944 (renewal) - Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Oglesby ESD 125 – LaSalle (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3857** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Spring Valley CCSD 99 – Bureau (SD 38/HD 76) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3982** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, members of the armed forces killed in war, members of the labor force, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# SD 39/HD 77

Rosemont SD 78 – Cook (SD 39/HD 77) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3990 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

 $Schiller\ Park\ SD\ 81-Cook\ (SD\ 39/HD\ 77)\ /\ Expiration:\ 2010-11\ school\ year$ 

WM100-3815 – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clock-hours of attendance twice during a given week. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

## SD 40/HD 79

I-Kan Regional Office of Education 32 – Kankakee, Iroquois (SD 40/HD 79) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3878** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor for students in its regional safe schools and truants' alternative and optional education programs.

# SD 40/HD 80

Beecher CUSD 200U – Will (SD 40/HD 80) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3901 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Steger SD 194 – Cook (SD 40/HD 80) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3856 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

#### SD 41/HD 82

Lyons THSD 204 – Cook (SD 41/HD 82) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3814 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Pleasantdale SD 107 – Cook (SD 41/HD 82) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3984 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# SD 43/HD 85

Taft SD 90 – Will (SD 43/HD 85) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3887-1 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 27-6). The district requested to be allowed to schedule physical education on a block-schedule basis (45 minutes three times a week rather than 22 minutes on a daily basis) for students in kindergarten through grade 8. P.A. 94-198, effective January 1, 2006, amended Section 27-6(a) of the School Code to allow an exception to the daily physical education requirement for school districts employing block scheduling.

*Taft SD 90 – Will* (SD 43/HD 85) / **Expiration: 2010-11 school year** 

**WM300-3887-2 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to publish a notice about the public hearing held to consider the request in a newspaper of general circulation for the district.

### SD 44/HD 87

Blue Ridge CUSD 18 – DeWitt (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM100-3946-1 – Waiver of School Code (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$300 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver

would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Blue Ridge CUSD 18 – DeWitt (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3946-2 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, parent-teacher conferences, inservice training sessions, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Sangamon Valley CUSD 9 - Macon (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3939 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Tremont CUD 702 – Tazewell (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3924 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Tri-City CUSD 1 – Sangamon (SD 44/HD 87) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3967** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

# SD 45/HD 89

Byron CUSD 226 - Ogle (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3873 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Dakota CUSD 201 – Stephenson (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3947 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Durand CUSD 322 – Winnebago (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3945** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and Casimir Pulaski. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Eastland CUSD 308 - Carroll (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3986 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Lena Winslow CUSD 202 - Stephenson (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3827 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$100 of students who participate in driver education courses.

Ogle County Special Education Cooperative 801 – Ogle (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3900 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the cooperative to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Columbus Day, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

River Ridge CUSD 210 – Jo Daviess (SD 45/HD 89) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3922 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## SD 45/HD 90

Oregon CUSD 220 – Ogle (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3897 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Regional Office of Education #47 Rock River Challenge Program – Lee, Ogle (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3917** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative education program.

Riverdale SD 14 – Whiteside (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3975** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to properly provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Sterling CUSD 5 – Whiteside (SD 45/HD 90) / Expiration: 2012-13 school year

**WM100-3987 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to permit students in grades 1 through 5 to participate in physical education twice a week for 25 minutes each session. Students will also have 20 minutes of recess each day, structured physical activities in the classroom and opportunities to participate in the park district's athletic programs after school. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2008-09 school year.

#### SD 46/HD 91

Community Unit School District 3 Fulton County - Fulton (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3830 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, members of the U.S. labor force, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Creve Coeur SD 76 – Tazewell (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3822 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans for foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Spring Lake CCSD 606 – Tazewell (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3915 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Tazewell-Mason Counties Special Education Association – Tazewell, Mason (SD 46/HD 91) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3804 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the association to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

### SD 46/HD 92

Peoria Heights CUSD 325 - Peoria (SD 46/HD 92) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3845 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 47/HD 93

A-C Central CUSD 262 - Cass (SD 47/HD 93) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3936 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$350 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Liberty CUSD 2 – Adams, Pike (SD 47/HD 93) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3950 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 47/HD 94

Astoria CUSD 1 – Fulton (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3875** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Hamilton CCSD 328 - Hancock (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3816 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Illini Central CUSD 189 – Mason (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3829 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Macomb CUSD 185 - McDonough (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3935 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to hold two full-day teacher inservice sessions instead of four half days, and to count the days among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. The district will accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement to apply towards these days. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Monmouth-Roseville CUSD 238 - Warren (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3841** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Southeastern CUSD 337 - Hancock (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3824 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

United CUSD 304 – Warren (SD 47/HD 94) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3866** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

#### SD 48/HD 95

Batavia USD 101 – Kane (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3861 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Wheaton CUSD 200 – DuPage (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3835 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Wheaton CUSD 200 - DuPage (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3941 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Winfield SD 34 – DuPage (SD 48/HD 95) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3921 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

# SD 49/HD 97

Barry CUSD 1 – Pike, Adams (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3799 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Franklin CUSD 1 – Morgan, Greene, Macoupin (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3910 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Pikeland CUSD 10 – Pike (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3852 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Pleasant Hill CUSD 3 - Pike, Calhoun (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3888 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to hold a public hearing to consider the request on a day other than when a regular board meeting is held.

Waverly CUSD 6 – Morgan (SD 49/HD 97) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3880 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

## SD 49/HD 98

Gillespie CUSD 7 – Macoupin (SD 49/HD 98) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3973 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

#### SD 50/HD 100

Auburn CUSD 10 - Sangamon (SD 50/HD 100) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3792 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Ball-Chatham CUSD 5 - Sangamon (SD 50/HD 100) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100- Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in show choir. The district indicates that choreography combined with singing requires students to be in "top cardio-vascular shape", and rigorous daily practice sessions during and after the school day have activity levels that are comparable to those provided in physical education classes.

Ball-Chatham CUSD 5 - Sangamon (SD 50/HD 100) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3854-2 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

## SD 51/HD 101

Lovington CUSD 303 – Moultrie (SD 51/HD 101) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3859** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to hold a public hearing to consider the request on a day other than when a regular board meeting is held.

Lovington CUSD 303 – Moultrie (SD 51/HD 101) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3876 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Lovington CUSD 303 – Moultrie (SD 51/HD 101) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3890 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

## SD 51/HD 102

 $\textit{Beecher City CUSD 20-Effingham} \ (SD\ 51/HD\ 102) \ / \ \textbf{Expiration:} \ \ \textbf{2010-11 school year}$ 

WM300-3918 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor

#### SD 52/HD 103

Champaign CUSD 4 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3963 (renewal) – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in cheerleading and pom-pons, and to excuse students in grades 9 and 10 for ongoing participation in interscholastic athletic programs. As support for the request, the district cites the rigorous nature of the interscholastic athletic programs and cheerleading and states that these programs and activities will assist students in meeting the Illinois Learning Standards for Physical Development.

ROE #9 R.E.A.D.Y. Program – Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3850** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)). The regional office requested to be allowed to schedule parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clock-hours of student attendance twice during a given week for students attending its Regional Safe Schools Program. The regional office failed to provide notices of the public hearing held to consider the request.

ROE #9 R.E.A.D.Y. Program - Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM100-3907 – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the program the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clock-hours of attendance twice during a given week. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The district will count the evening conferences among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Urbana SD 116 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM100-3925 – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)). The district requested to be allowed to hold six full-day inservice training sessions instead of six half days. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Urbana SD 116 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 103) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3978** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to hold six full-day teacher inservice sessions instead of six half days, and to count the days among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. The district will accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement to apply towards these days.

# SD 52/HD 104

Catlin CUSD 5 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3847 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to schedule student attendance on the holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The district has an approved modification that is in effect through the 2008-09 school year.

Danville CCSD 118 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3904 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance or an inservice training session on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Danville CCSD 118 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3956-1 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to excuse students in grades 9 and 10 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in an interscholastic athletic program, allowing students to maintain a "full academic load while attaining their physical fitness" by participating in the athletic program. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Danville CCSD 118 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3956-2 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-23) request to allow the district to charge a fee not to exceed \$200 of students who participate in driver education courses. If approved, this waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Jamaica CUSD 12 – Vermilion (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3846 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Prairieview-Ogden CCSD 197 – Champaign (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year WM300-3976 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus,

and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

St. Joseph-Odgen CHSD 305 - Champaign (SD 52/HD 104) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3951 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

#### SD 53/HD 105

Crescent-Iroquois CUSD 249 – Iroquois (SD 53/HD 105) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3934 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

*Tri-Point CUSD 6-J – Ford, Iroquois, Kankakee, Livingston* (SD 53/HD 105) / **Expiration: 2010-11 school year** 

WM300-3877 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor

#### SD 53/HD 106

Central SD 51 – Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3898 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Cornell CCSD 426 - Livingston (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3912 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Cornell CHSD 70 – Livingston (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3911 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

 $\textit{Fieldcrest CUSD 6-Woodford} \ (SD\ 53/HD\ 106)\ /\ \textbf{Expiration:}\ \ \textbf{2010-11 school year}$ 

WM300-3832 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Olympia CUSD 16 – McLean (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3985 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Tri Valley CUSD 3 – McLean (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3844 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Washington CHSD 308 – Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3881 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Washington District 50 Schools - Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3842 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Washington SD 52 - Tazewell (SD 53/HD 106) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3870** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 54/HD 107

Central City SD 133 – Marion (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3930** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Germantown SD 60 - Clinton (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3929** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Germantown SD 60 - Clinton (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3974 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Regional Office of Education #13 Safe School and Truants' Alternative and Optional Education Program – Clinton, Marion, Washington (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3962 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor for those students enrolled in its alternative school and truants' program.

Woodlawn CCSD 4 – Jefferson (SD 54/HD 107) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3831 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

 $\textit{Woodlawn CHSD 205-Jefferson} \ (SD\ 54/HD\ 107)\ /\ \textbf{Expiration:}\ \ \textbf{2010-11 school year}$ 

**WM300-3899** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 54/HD 108

Geff CCSD 14 – Wayne (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3865 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Jasper CCSD 17 – Wayne (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3940 (renewal) - Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize

the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

New Hope CCSD 6 – Wayne (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3931 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

North Clay CUSD 25 – Clay (SD 54/HD 108) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3989** (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## SD 55/HD 109

Kansas CUSD 3 – Clark, Coles, Edgar (SD 55/HD 109) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3884 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Paris CUSD 4 – Edgar (SD 55/HD 109) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3964 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to dismiss students two and a half hours early on each of the first five days of the school year. The district would accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement during the remainder of the school year to apply towards these days in order to count them among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. If approved, the waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Paris-Union SD 95 – Edgar (SD 55/HD 109) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM100-3977** (renewal) – Waiver of School Code (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(2)) request to allow the district to dismiss students two hours early on each of the first five days of the school year. The district would accumulate sufficient time beyond the five-clock-hour requirement during the remainder of the school year to apply towards these days in order to count them among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19. If approved, the waiver would take effect in the 2007-08 school year.

## SD 55/HD 110

Atwood Hammond CUSD 39 - Piatt (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3885 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Mattoon CUSD 2 – Coles (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3836** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Tuscola CUSD 301 – Douglas (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM100-3811-1 (renewal)** – **Waiver of School Code** (Section 18-8.05(F)(2)(d)(1)) request to allow the district the option of scheduling parent-teacher conferences in the evening following at least five clockhours of student attendance and to use the following morning for at least three hours of parent-teacher conferences. One day during that week will be a nonattendance day for students and staff. The evening and morning sessions will be counted among the 176 days of actual pupil attendance required by Section 10-19.

Tuscola CUSD 301 – Douglas (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM100-3811-2 (renewal) - Waiver of School Code (Section 27-6) request to allow the district to

excuse students in grades 9 through 12 from the daily physical education requirement for ongoing participation in cheerleading, pom-pons, band or vocal music. The request broadens the physical activities that would qualify for a physical education exemption, thereby providing students with greater access to fine arts and other academic coursework

Tuscola CUSD 301 – Douglas (SD 55/HD 110) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3811-3 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

#### SD 56/HD 111

Alton CUSD 11 - Madison (SD 56/HD 111) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3920 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Wood River-Hartford ESD 15 - Madison (SD 56/HD 111) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3903 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 56/HD 112

Edwardsville CUSD 7 – Madison (SD 56/HD 112) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3896 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor

# SD 57/HD 113

Signal Hill SD 181 – St. Clair (SD 57/HD 113) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3968 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The school district failed to publish a notice about the public hearing held to consider the request in a newspaper of general circulation for the district.

# SD 57/HD 114

Madison CUSD 12 – Madison (SD 57/HD 114) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3808 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Millstadt CCSD 160 - St. Clair (SD 57/HD 114) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3938 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

## SD 58/HD 115

Cobden USD 17 – Union (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3871 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

COPE Alternative School – Jackson (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3949 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional

activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor for those students enrolled in its alternative school.

Oakdale CCSD 1 – Washington (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3902 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holidays honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individuals will be provided rather than observing the legal school holidays.

Pinckneyville SD 50 – Perry (SD 58/HD 115) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3810 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

# SD 58/HD 116

Freeburg CCSD 70 – St. Clair (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3942 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. The modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

New Athens CUSD 60 – St. Clair, Monroe (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year WM300-3833 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Red Brick School – Monroe, Randolph (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3953 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the regional office of education to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor for those students enrolled in its alternative school.

Smithton CCSD 130 - St. Clair (SD 58/HD 116) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3913 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

# SD 59/HD 117

Benton CHSD 103 – Franklin (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3791 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Crab Orchard CUSD 3 – Williamson (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3883 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to schedule student attendance, inservice training sessions, parent-teacher conferences, or a teachers' institute day on the legal holiday honoring Abraham Lincoln. The institute program is subject to prior approval from the Regional Office of Education. Instruction pertaining to the contributions of the honored individual will be provided rather than observing the legal school holiday.

Hamilton County CUSD 10 - Hamilton (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

**WM300-3818 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Johnston City CUSD 1 – Williamson (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year WM300-3817 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize

the contributions of Abraham Lincoln and Casimir Pulaski through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor.

Marion CUSD 2 – Williamson (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

**WM300-3991 (renewal) – Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2). The district requested to be allowed to hold school on the legal holidays honoring Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, and Christopher Columbus. The school district failed to provide the required notices about the public hearing held to consider the request.

Sesser-Valier CUSD 196 – Franklin (SD 59/HD 117) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3980 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

#### SD 59/HD 118

Carrier Mills-Stonefort CUSD 2 - Saline, Williamson (SD 59/HD 118) / Expiration: 2010-11 school vear

**WM300-3853 (renewal)** – **Modification of School Code** (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

Gallatin County CUSD 7 – Gallatin (SD 59/HD 118) / Expiration: 2011-12 school year

WM300-3952 (renewal) – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Abraham Lincoln, Casimir Pulaski, Christopher Columbus, and all veterans of foreign wars through instructional activities rather than observing school holidays in their honor. This modification takes effect in the 2007-08 school year.

Vienna HSD 13-3 – Johnson (SD 59/HD 118) / Expiration: 2010-11 school year

WM300-3919 – Modification of School Code (Section 24-2) allows the district to recognize the contributions of Abraham Lincoln through instructional activities rather than observing a school holiday in his honor.

The foregoing report was placed before the Senate, ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary's Office.

At the hour of 12:03 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **House Joint Resolution No. 136**, the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Tuesday, November 14, 2006, at 1:00 o'clock p.m.