

That effective June 30, 2013, the Chicago Board of Education close Williams Preparatory Academy Middle School (School ID 610336) ("Williams Middle"), located at 2710 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois, for space utilization reasons, and reassign returning Williams Middle students to John B. Drake Elementary School (School ID 609894) ("Drake"), currently located at 2722 South King Drive, Chicago, Illinois, and proposed to be located at 2710 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

## **DESCRIPTION:**

Pursuant to the Illinois School Code Sections 34-200 through 34-232 and the Chief Executive Officer's Guidelines for School Actions, the Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") of the Chicago Public Schools may recommend the closing of schools and the adjustment of school attendance boundaries.

Pursuant to legal requirements, two community meetings were convened on April 10, 2013, and April 15, 2013, at Dunbar High School, located at 3000 South King Drive, Chicago, Illinois, and a public hearing

**Approved for Consideration:** 

**Respectfully Submitted:** 

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