REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING AGENDA
DU QUOIN COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #300
CENTRAL OFFICE - 845 EAST JACKSON ST.
DU QUOIN, ILLINOIS 62832
MEETING HELD IN K-8 MEDIA CENTER
TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2026
6:00 P.M.

Rich Gossett - President
Tracy Fenton - Vice President
Tracy Taylor - Secretary
Jason Furlow - Member
Jim Kowzan - Member
Breeonna Williams - Member
Josh Williams – Member

	Item	Info	Actio
I.	**Call to Order**		
II.	**Roll Call**		
III.	**Reports** A. Building principals - Reasons We're Proud B. Assistant Superintendent Report C. Superintendent Update	X	
IV.	**Consent Agenda** A. Approval of the minutes of the December 16, 2025 regular meeting; B. Approval of Data Sharing and Use Agreement with John A. Logan College for Remediation Course Data Sharing; C. Adoption of resolution to abate property taxes relative to Series 2019 Bond.		X
V.	**Public Hearing** A. DEA representative B. Public		
VI.	**Executive Session** A. To discuss the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance or dismissal of specific employees in accordance with 5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (1). B. To discuss security procedures school building safety and security. 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(5) C. To discuss student disciplinary cases. 5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (9) D. To discuss minutes of meetings lawfully closed, whether for purposes of approval or semi-annual review 5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (21)		X
VII.	**Consideration of and Possible Action of the Executive Session** A. Approval of executive session meeting minutes from December 16, 2025 regular meeting B. Consideration motion to accept resignations as received: a. Elementary special education position, effective December 19, 2025; b. Instructional Coach/Teacher, effective at the end of the 2025-2026 school year; c. High School Assistant Baseball Coach, effective immediately.		X X X X

	C. Consider motion to approve recommendation for hire/transfer: a. Instructional Coach/Teacher D. Consideration and approval of extracurricular volunteer coaches, conditional upon the satisfactory completion of all background and vetting requirement: a. High School Volunteer Baseball Coach b. Middle School Volunteer Golf Coaches		X X X
VIII.	**Financial Items** A. Approval of the payment of bills for December 2025 B. Approval of the December 2025 financial reports		 X X
IX.	**New or Unfinished Business** A. Resolution providing for the issue of not to exceed $2,000,000 General Obligation School Bonds, Series 2026, for the purpose of increasing the Working Cash Fund of the District, providing for the levy of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on said bonds, and authorizing the sale of said bonds to the purchaser thereof B. School Resources Officer Agreement with the City of Du Quoin C. Discussion of Athletic Program- Evaluation	 X X	 X
X.	**Adjournment**		X