

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

AGENDA PACKET

FOR

February 10, 2011

**DOTHAN CITY SCHOOLS
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334-793-1397**

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SUPERINTENDENT

Dr. Sam Nichols

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BOARD MEETS
THIRD MONDAY
OF EACH MONTH

DISTRICT-WIDE
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**AGENDA
FOR
SPECIAL CALLED SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
Thursday, February 10, 2011, 5:00 P.M.
Dothan City Board of Education - Teachers' Center - 500 Dusy Street**

Call To Order
Moment of Silence
Pledge of Allegiance

1. Board Comments
2. Approval of Agenda and Proposed Agenda Modifications
3. Superintendent Recommendations – Dr. Sam Nichols
 - 3.1. A Resolution Approving the Filing with the Board of Commissioners of the City of Dothan, Alabama of a Written Request for the Levy of an Additional 15 Mills of Municipal Ad Valorem Taxes for the Support of Dothan City Schools and Public Libraries in the City of Dothan – Delegation of Yes We Can Dothan “Better Funding” Advocacy Group: Mr. Ed Price, Co-Chairperson of Yes We Can Dothan, Mr. Matt Parker, Ex-officio, Mr. Charles Buntin, Mr. Jeff Coleman and Mr. Jude Rodgers, Co-Chairpersons - Page(s) 3-7
4. New Business
 - 4.1. Upcoming Board Meetings to be held at the Dothan City Board of Education, Teachers' Center, 500 Dusy Street:
 - 4.1.1. Monday, February 14, 2011, 5:00 p.m. – Regular Board Meeting
 - 4.1.2. Schedule of Board Meetings – Page(s) 8

Adjournment

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FILING WITH THE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF DOTHAN, ALABAMA
OF A WRITTEN REQUEST FOR THE LEVY OF AN ADDITIONAL 15 MILLS
OF MUNICIPAL AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE SUPPORT OF
DOTHAN CITY SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN THE CITY OF DOTHAN**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF DOTHAN, ALABAMA (the "Board"), as follows:

The Board hereby approves, authorizes and directs the filing with the Board of Commissioners of the City of Dothan, Alabama of a written request for an increase, pursuant to Section 217(f) of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, in the rate at which the City of Dothan's existing municipal ad valorem taxes are levied from one-half of one percent (5 mills) to two percent (20 mills), subject to approval by the Alabama State Legislature and thereafter majority vote of the qualified electors residing in the City of Dothan to vote in a special election, with such additional ad valorem tax revenues (net of the cost of collection) being distributed as follows: (i) thirteen-fifteenths (13/15ths) of such additional revenues would be distributed to the City Board of Education of the City of Dothan, Alabama to be used exclusively for public school purposes and (ii) the remainder of such additional revenues would be distributed to the Houston-Love Memorial Library Board to be used exclusively for the improvement, operation and maintenance of public libraries within the City of Dothan.

Such written request shall be in substantially the form and of substantially the content as the form of the request attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference, executed in the name and on behalf of the Board by the Chairman and Secretary thereof.

Adopted this _____ day of February, 2011.

Chairman

SEAL

Attest: _____
Secretary

Exhibit A

(See Attached)

**REQUEST FOR THE LEVY OF AN ADDITIONAL
15 MILLS OF MUNICIPAL AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE SUPPORT OF
DOTHAN CITY SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN THE CITY OF DOTHAN**

TO BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF DOTHAN, ALABAMA:

The undersigned City Board of Education of the City of Dothan, Alabama, hereby requests your honorable body to propose an increase, pursuant to Section 217(f) of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, in the rate at which the City of Dothan's existing municipal ad valorem taxes are levied from one-half of one percent (5 mills) to two percent (20 mills), subject to approval by the Alabama State Legislature and thereafter majority vote of the qualified electors residing in the City of Dothan to vote in a special election, with such additional ad valorem tax revenues (net of the cost of collection) being distributed as follows: (i) thirteen-fifteenths (13/15ths) of such additional revenues would be distributed to the City Board of Education of the City of Dothan, Alabama to be used exclusively for public school purposes and (ii) the remainder of such additional revenues would be distributed to the Houston-Love Memorial Library Board to be used exclusively for the improvement, operation and maintenance of public libraries within the City of Dothan.

This the _____ day of February, 2011.

CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE
CITY OF DOTHAN, ALABAMA

Chairman

SEAL

Attest: _____
Secretary

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Chairman

Member of Board

Member of Board

Member of Board

Member of Board

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Member of Board

SEAL

Attest: _____
Secretary

STATE OF ALABAMA)

HOUSTON COUNTY)

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY

The undersigned duly elected, qualified and acting Secretary of the City Board of Education of the City of Dothan, Alabama (the "Board"), does hereby certify that: the above and foregoing pages constitute a complete, verbatim and compared copy of excerpts from the minutes of a meeting of the Board duly held on the ____ day of February, 2011, the original of which is on file and of record in the minute book of the Board in my custody; the resolutions set forth in such excerpts are complete, verbatim and compared copies of such resolutions as introduced and adopted by the Board on such date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as Secretary of the Board and have affixed the official seal of the Board, this ____ day of _____, 2011.

Secretary of the City Board of Education of the
City of Dothan, Alabama

SEAL

DOTHAN CITY SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
BOARD MEETINGS

Regular Meetings are normally held on the 3rd Monday of each month.

All meetings are scheduled for 5:00 P.M. in the Dothan City Schools' Teachers' Center,
500 Dusy Street, unless otherwise announced.

Meeting dates are occasionally changed due to holidays or conflicts. Additional Special
meetings are held as needed and are announced in local media.

Monday, February 14, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, March 21, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, April 18, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, May 16, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, June 20, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, July 18, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, August 15, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, September 19, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, November 14, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting
Monday, December 12, 2011	.....	Regular Board Meeting