

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

Millburn Public Schools

INFORMATION ITEM

May 3, 2010

To: Board of Education Members

From: Ellen E. Mauer, PhD

Subject: Membership in Fed Ed

Yearly, we consider membership in a number of organizations. One such organization is Fed Ed. Fed Ed is a local organization that was created to lobby at the federal level for our suburban schools. In a nutshell, we would get:

- Representation in Washington, D.C. Harry Rossi and Dave Peterson make regular lobbying trips to Washington to advocate for positive changes in NCLB, IDEA funding, and other critical issues.
- Coordination of trips to Washington for FED ED members who wish to visit their Representatives. Assistance is provided in presenting special grant requests.
- E-Mail Updates- FED ED members receive regular updates on Federal legislation, policy and the budget that can be used to update your Boards and administrators.
- Invitations to FED ED functions including the Annual Federal Legislative luncheon for Superintendents and Board members.

You can check out the website www.thefeded.org if you are interested. Membership for a year is \$325. We would ask you to put this on the consent agenda for the next meeting if you are interested in this organization.



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2009-10 FED ED SCHOOL DISTRICT MEMBERSHIP FORM/INVOICE

District Name

Superintendent

Street Address

Superintendent's E-mail (all FED ED
correspondence will be sent to this e-mail)

City/Zip Code

Telephone

District Enrollment

Fax

Member School District Annual Dues: **\$ 325.00**

Please send completed membership form and dues check to:

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Thank you for your membership in FED ED!