ATTACHMENT NO. IX.-E: Approve Kriha Boucek LLC as a law firm that is authorized to

Provide legal services to the Board of Education consistent with

Board Policy 2:160

Suggested Motion: I move to authorize the Superintendent to sign an agreement for

legal services with Kriha Boucek LLC to provide legal services to

the Board of Education

Recommended Action: Approving a second law firm to be on retainer allows the School

Board to leverage the unique strengths and expertise that different firms offer, ensuring the district receives the most effective and specialized legal support for a variety of complex matters. Kriha Boucek LLC is widely recognized as one of the most respected law firms in Illinois, particularly in the areas of special education law and school law. Their deep knowledge and extensive experience in navigating legal challenges specific to public education would be a valuable complement to our current legal counsel, providing the district with greater capacity, perspective, and confidence in

addressing sensitive or high-stakes issues.