



Friday, January 22, 2016

# TRANSFORMING CULTURE

## Understanding and Overcoming Resistance to Necessary Change

**This workshop** is provided by ESU #1 in partnership with South Sioux City Community Schools and is being made available to attendees at no cost. Certified staff will have an opportunity to enjoy lunch off-site. There will be an administrative luncheon on-site at the conference center.

**Anthony Muhammad, Ph.D.**, is a much sought-after consultant. A practitioner for nearly 20 years, he has served as a middle school teacher, assistant principal, principal, and as a high school principal. His Transforming School Culture approach explores the root causes of staff resistance to change.

Dr. Muhammad's most notable accomplishment came as principal of Levey Middle School in Southfield, Michigan, a National School of Excellence, where student proficiency on state assessments more than doubled in five years. Dr. Muhammad and the staff at Levey used the Professional Learning Communities at Work™ process for school improvement, and they have been recognized in several videos and articles as a model high-performing PLC.



Dr. Muhammad is author of the books *The Will to Lead and the Skill to Teach: Transforming Schools at Every Level* (2011) and *Transforming School Culture: How to Overcome Staff Division* (2009), and he is a contributing author to the book *The Collaborative Administrator: Working Together as a Professional Learning Community* (2008).

**Registration** will be available during Spring 2015, along with luncheon information. You will register your district name, administrators attending and the total number of participants with Julie Rose at ESU #1. You can reach Julie at (402) 287-2061 or [jrose@esu1.org](mailto:jrose@esu1.org).

**Questions** about the training should be directed to Bob Uhing or Rhonda Jindra at ESU #1.

**Marina Inn Conference Center, South Sioux City**

