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Executive Committee Tables Basketball Proposal for Further Study, Feedback

During its monthly meeting this morning, the IHSAA Executive Committee unanimously voted to table the basketball tournament proposal, which would alter its current format, to its next meeting on Friday, Nov. 7.

The proposal, presented in August, among other items, calls for the largest 64 schools to make up Class 4A with the remaining schools evenly distributed among Class 3A, 2A and 1A with 16 sectionals in each classification.

The topic is being discussed at the various area principals meetings that the IHSAA staff is currently conducting around the state. With four more meetings over the next two weeks, the IHSAA wants to allow administrators every opportunity to discuss and provide feedback on it before the measure would be voted on by the Committee.

About the Indiana High School Athletic Association, Inc. (IHSAA)

The IHSAA is a voluntary, not-for-profit organization that is self-supporting without the use of tax monies. Since its founding in 1903, the Association's mission has been to provide wholesome, educational athletics for the secondary schools of Indiana. Its member high schools - public, institutional, parochial and private – pay no annual membership fee or incur entry fees to play in the Association's tournaments. A state tournament series is conducted annually in 21 sports, 10 for girls, 10 for boys and one co-ed (unified track and field). A 19-person board of directors, elected by member school principals, governs the organization.

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