

TO: Dr. Charles Johns FROM: Rosanne Williamson

RE: Draft of the 2023-2024 School Year Calendar for Review

DATE: May 9, 2022

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Education adopt the <u>Proposed Public School Calendar for 2023-2024</u>.

Background

The <u>School Calendar Preparation Guidelines</u> are intended to serve as an aid in the construction of the school year calendar. Section 10-19 of the School Code mandates a minimum of 185 days in the proposed school calendar to ensure 176 days of student attendance. <u>Public Act 101-0012</u>, effective July 1, 2019, reinstates the requirement that a school day consist of a minimum of five hours of instructional time, a provision that previously sunset in 2017. The <u>Calender Legend</u> shows that we have met these requirements.

Following Board discussion, the final calendar would be placed on the consent agenda at the May 23, 2022 Board meeting.

Note: This calendar has been vetted by both the District and School administration as well at the GEA.