8B. Action Date: March 10, 2008

SUBJECT: <u>APPROVAL OF 2009-10 SCHOOL CALENDAR PROPOSAL</u>

BOARD GOAL: All students will achieve educational excellence.

The Keller Independent School District will develop and promote positive community relations through effective communication, the involvement of stakeholders, and the establishment of business

and community partnerships.

FISCAL NOTE: None

Background Information:

- 3 calendars presented for feedback
- 3,385 responses
- 693 comments (20%)
- Calendar 3 chosen by 2,607 (77%)
- Start date: August 24, 2009; Last day of school: June 3, 2010
- 1 full week at Thanksgiving; 2 full weeks at Christmas
- Students will be off: Labor Day, Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday, President's Day
- Bad Weather Days: May 31 (Memorial Day) and Friday, June 4
- 87 days in the first semester, 90 in the second

Administrative Considerations:

This item was presented for preview at the February 25 Board meeting.

The administration recommends that the Board of Trustees adopt Calendar Option 3 for the 2009-10 school year as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet Swan, Director of Professional Development