Consider Approval of the 2022-2023 School Calendar

SUMMARY:
To request approval of the traditional 2022-2023 calendar.

Board Goal

Teaching and Learning
- Develop and maintain a culture where learning remains our first priority.
- Incorporate best practices into teaching, learning, technology and leadership.
- Foster and support an advanced digital learning environment.

Culture and Climate
- Honor the dedication and professionalism of all staff.
- Promote health, wellness and emotional well-being.

Opportunities for Students
- Support college, career, military and life readiness.
- Develop academic skills and interpersonal relationships necessary for student success in college, the workplace and for life.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:
No previous action on the 2022-23 calendar.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:
- HB 2610 requirement of 75,600 instructional minutes.
- Ending the first semester prior to Winter Break.
- Equalizing the instructional days/minutes in each semester to the greatest extent possible.
- Maintaining a consistent holiday schedule with prior years and alignment of spring break with local universities.
- Potential waiver minutes of 2100 for professional development.
- Maximizing use of instructional minutes prior to state testing.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:
No additional significant issues.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:
No fiscal implications.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:
Approval of this item allows for advanced planning around the 2022-2023 calendar for staff, students, families, and community.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:
None.

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:
None.

ALTERNATIVES:
Staff could be directed to develop a modified calendar.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:
The Superintendent recommends the Board approve the proposed calendar.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:
Susannah O'Bara, Assistant Superintendent for Academic Programs

ATTACHMENT:
None

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation: <u>Susannah O'Bara</u>

Signature of Superintendent: _____