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To: Dr. Ed Condon

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RE: District 90 Public School Calendar 2019-20

In the Fall of 2018, the D90 Calendar Committee developed a draft version of the Public School Calendar using guidance outlined by the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE). At that time, school districts were given the flexibility to determine what constituted a full day of student attendance. Previously, ISBE had required that a full day of student attendance consist of a minimum of five hours of student instruction. The Board of Education reviewed and approved the preliminary Public School Calendar at the December 17, 2018 meeting.

Since the draft calendar was developed, Public Act 101-0012 was introduced for the purpose of reinstating the provision that a school day consist of a minimum of five hours of student instruction. Between the time the legislation was introduced, and ultimately passed in early June, the Illinois State Board of Education portal to the 2019-2020 Public School Calendar was not accessible, preventing District 90 from receiving feedback on and finalizing the calendar. Attached is the revised 2019-2020 Public School Calendar that reflects the necessary changes.