

Professional Development Pilot Program for 2017-18

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Minidoka County School Board Trustees,

As we discussed the various professional development options for next year it became evident that some schools were interested in weekly or bi-weekly professional development options.

The calendar that has been presented to the Board for approval contains six full day professional development days starting in October.

I am recommending that the Board authorize additional flexibility to those schools who would like to pilot more frequent professional development options. The following schools have expressed interest in more frequent options developing their professional development plans for next year: Minico High School, Mt. Harrison High School, East Minico Middle School, and Acequia Elementary School.

This flexibility would allow administrators to establish professional development opportunities, after the regular school day, and trade that time for the calendared professional development days.

All schools will be expected to develop professional development plans for next year.

Respectfully submitted,

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