

February 3, 2021

Fort Smith Public Schools
3205 Jenny Lind Road
Fort Smith, AR 72901

ATTN: School Board Members

RE: 2021-2022 Calendar Proposal and Contract Adjustment

Dear School Board Members,

As a member of the Fort Smith Public School Personnel Policy Committee, I am writing to you on behalf of the entire committee. We offer our endorsement of the proposed calendar and contract changes as presented to us by Mrs. Sherri Penix at our meeting on February 2, 2021.

Mrs. Penix gave a comprehensive presentation on the district's proposal to change FSPS certified staff contracts from 193 days to 190 days as well as reducing the district requirement for professional development hours provided by FSPS from 54 hours to 48 hours.

Please contact the PPC if we can provide any additional support or information regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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