

MEETING DATE: April 20, 2015

AGENDA ITEM: 2014-2015 School Calendar Revision

PRESENTER: Lynn McKinney

ALIGNS TO BOARD GOAL(S):

#1 Learning-The District will provide an aligned, rigorous curriculum with instructional and technology programs preparing students to meet or exceed all educational standards.

#3 Parents and Community-Parents and members of the community will have meaningful opportunities to participate in the educational processes of the Aledo ISD.

Background Information:

- The District Wide Effectiveness Improvement Committee (DWEIC) is a required planning committee for the district. The Committee consists of professional staff, community members, and business representatives. At the December 4th meeting, the 2014-2015 proposed calendar was finalized by this committee and was presented to the Board for approval in December 2013.
- The DWEIC met on September 10, 2014 and approved a revised calendar for the 2014-2015 school year which added a staff development day on January 19th and moved a bad weather day from Memorial Day to June 5th at the end of the school year. The Board approved the revised calendar on September 15, 2014.

Administrative Considerations:

- Due to bad weather during the 2015 spring semester a total of three school days were missed.
 We had two days designated in the calendar as make up days, April 3rd and June 5th.
 The April 3rd make-up day has occurred.
- The 2014-2015 Student Attendance Accounting Handbook and the Waiver Division at TEA state that a District cannot have an early release day on a bad weather make up day.

Therefore the following calendar revision is necessary:

- 1. Wednesday, June 3rd is no longer an early release day.
- 2. The bad weather make up day previously scheduled for June 5th needs to move to June 4th. All students will attend a full day on this make up day, June 4th.
- 3. The last day of school will now be June 5th it will be an early dismissal day for grades K-12.
- 4. The Teacher Work Day will now be on Saturday, June 6th.

FISCAL NOTE:

None

Administrative Recommendation:

This is an action item. The administration recommends the 2014-2015 revised calendar for approval as presented.