



## SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: 15-Jul-14

Agenda #                     

Staff/Administrator: Debbie Breckner

Superintendent: David Holmes

Type of Item: ☐ Informational ☒ Action

**Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide?**

Last month, action on adopting a final calendar that incorporated the loose ends identified at the April meeting was tabled. I respectfully request that the Board approve the calendar as presented last month.

**Provide history/background information on your proposal.**

I have attached both previous agenda requests - questions came up in June regarding going back to semesters. As noted in the April board agenda request, it identified a return to semesters, something the District and staff have been working on for several months. In addition, the board also took action in April to adjust the graduation requirements from a trimester system to a semester system. This calendar represents the student calendar that identified school days needed to meet those graduation requirements.

**List the advantages of your proposal:**

The District can move forward with communicating to parents, students and staff; building administrators can plan to meet staff development needs, preparing enrollment packets, and my office can move forward with the significant work of creating work schedules for the number of different staff work calendars.

**List possible disadvantages of your proposal:**

None, other than noted as before - this is the least disruptive calendar the District has had in years. It allows for student learning, and gives time to staff to collaborate together.

**List possible alternatives that could also offer a solution to your proposal. Why were they not recommended?**

None, other than consideration of a different day for professional development that was noted before.

Superintendent's recommendation(s):

Approve: Yes ☐ No ☐