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Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):

Consider request for emergency attendance day wavier for August 26th, 2024 for May Valley Elementary and Duff-Allen Central Elementary for the 2024-2025 school year.

Applicable State or Regulations:

702 KAR 7:140

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact:

History/Background:

The district is seeking board approval for an emergency wavier for August 26, 2024 for May Valley Elementary and Duff-Allen Central Elementary due to being closed because of a water line break in that area.

702 KAR 7:140 section 4(3) allows school district to request an emergency wavier if part of a district has to miss school due to an emergency. Once it receives board approval a letter can be sent to the commissioner of education for approval.

Recommended Action:

Approve the request for an emergency day wavier for Aug. 24, 2025.

Contact Person(s):

Brook Moore-DPP

Director

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Date:

4/14/2025



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April 14, 2025

Dr. Robbie Fletcher, Commissioner Kentucky Department of Education 500 Metro Street Capital Plaza Tower Frankfort, Ky. 40601

Dear Dr. Fletcher:

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting an emergency day wavier per 702 KAR 7:140, Section 4 (3). As of today's date, Floyd County Schools have missed a total of thirty days, twenty weather related and ten non-instructional days (also due to weather).

At this time, we are requesting an emergency day wavier for the following:

Duff-Allen Central Elementary: One additional day waived due to a water line break on Monday, August 26.

May Valley Elementary: One additional day waived due to a water line break on Monday, August 26.

The Floyd County Board of Education has added thirty-minutes county-wide to the school day to help meet HB 241 requirement of 1,062 hours of instruction. This allowed Floyd County Schools to make up an additional 4 days of school. The Floyd County Board of Education also voted to change two G/Planning Days for staff to instructional days for students.

An emergency day wavier is being requested so that all Floyd County Schools can dismiss students and staff on the same day, which is June 6, 2025. By granting the emergency day waiver it will allow students to attend local educational camps and other summer activities. Please contact me if you need additional information or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Tonya Williams, Superintendent

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Re August 26, 2024

Due to unforeseen reasons beyond our control on August 26, 2024, there was no water service in the Floyd Central High School area.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at 606-377-9296.

Thank You

Lucy Howell

Office Manager for Southern Water and Sewer District