

Calendar Committee Meeting Minutes
Monday, April 12, 2021, 4:00 PM EDT
Virtual Meeting

Agenda Item	Person Responsible	Estimated Time
Call to Order	Jimmy Adams	1 minute
Review of the 2021-2022 Calendar with Possible Addition of Days Recommendation	Jimmy Adams	30 minutes
Schedule Meetings to Begin Discussion of 2022-2023 Calendar Recommendation	Jimmy Adams	15 minutes
Other Business	Jimmy Adams	4 minutes
Adjournment	Jimmy Adams	

Mr. Adams called the meeting to order at 4:30 PM. The following members of the committee were present: Jimmy Adams, Chad Barnes, Sheroll Carby, Elizabeth Hammer, Laura Lear, Cassie Lyles, Jackie Mayfield, Corrie Shull, Duan Wright.

After calling the meeting to order, Mr. Adams opened the floor for discussion and feedback received by committee members.

Cassie Lyles reported that the majority of teachers who responded to her were not in favor of extending the calendar. Laura Lear reported similar findings with classified employees. Sherroll Carby reported that parents who responded to her were split about 50% not in favor, but liked the idea of a phase in day for K-2, 6, and 9th grades. Jackie Mayfield stated that teachers felt the flexible professional development days in March and April were a needed break for both staff and students. She stated that some respondents wondered about extending the length of the days using the days in September, October or November instead of the days in the spring. Cassie Lyles stated that the District should keep the fall break in September and the day before Thanksgiving due to concerns of possible low attendance. Duan Wright stated that based on the feedback he received from school administrators that we have a much time as possible for students.

Following the discussion, Jackie Mayfield moved to not make a recommendation to the Board for a calendar change. It was seconded by Cassie Lyles. The committee voted unanimously in support of the motion, therefore the committee will not make a recommendation to the Board for a calendar change.

The committee then set future meeting dates for Monday, April 26, Monday May 3, and Monday, May 10, all at 4:00 PM to plan a recommendation for the 2022-2023 school calendar.

The committee adjourned at approximately 4:45 PM.