

KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA STATEMENT

No. 11 b

MEETING OF January 13, 2021

REVIEWED BY:

ITEM TITLE:

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to approve a revised 2020-2021 school year calendar

Superintendent

Calendar Committee

SUBMITTED BY: Alonso Escalante, Curriculum Director

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APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

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Superintendent

SUMMARY STATEMENT: The Board is being asked to approve several recommended changes to the current year's school year calendar (2020-2021.)

ISSUE:

In the fall when the decision was made to delay the student start date, it had ripple effects into other parts of the calendar. Grading periods, work dates, and the last days in June were impacted. In order to maintain 183 contractual staff days and 172 student contact days the calendar committee recommends the following adjustments to the calendar:

- January 18 - MLK - Holiday for staff and students
- January 25 - Planning day for all staff, no students
- June 3 - Last day for all students
- June 4 - Last day for all teachers

This would maintain the 183 workdays with 172 days for students.

RECOMMENDATION: The Calendar Committee, not unanimously, makes the following recommendations:

- January 18 - MLK - Holiday for staff and students
- January 25 - Planning day for all staff, no students
- June 3 - Last day for all students
- June 4 - Last day for all teachers

ATTACHMENTS:

- Current 2020-2021 school year calendar

RECOMMENDED ACTION

"I move that the Board of Education approve the revised 2020-2021 school year calendar with the recommended changes."

