

## CITY OF SANTA ROSA HIGH (ELEM.) SCHOOL DISTRICTS

The Public Meeting of the **Board District Calendar Advisory Committee** was called to order on October 17, 2005, in the Santa Rosa City Schools Superintendent's Conference Room, 211 Ridgway Avenue, Santa Rosa, California, by Director Jeye at 3:35 P.M. **PUBLIC MEETING  
October 17, 2005  
3:35 P.M.**

### In attendance

Board Members: Directors Donna Jeye (Chair), Jim Leddy and Wally Lowry.  
Staff Members: Superintendent Sharon Liddell, Assistant Superintendents Greg Espinoza, and Teacher Julie D'Addario.  
Union Representatives: SRTA President Ted Milkoff, CSEA 367 President Mike LaPointe, CSEA 75 President Sharon Simoncini.

### **TOPICS:**

Director Jeye gave an update to Committee members on calendar information and the Committee discussed what needs to be presented to the Board on October 26, 2005 Board Meeting. **INFORMATION  
UPDATE**

- Ted Milkoff received feedback from several of the schools.
- Teachers had many opportunities to speak out about the calendar proposal.
- Not very many teachers attended the Calendar Community Forums.
- The feedback forms were given only to people who saw the PowerPoint presentation on the calendar proposals.
- Superintendent Liddell reported on the current total number of people in favor of an early August start date, late August start date, finals before winter break and other results taken from the feedback forms received.
- Feedback forms from the student government classes at Maria Carrillo and Elsie Allen High School were received today.
- The early spring feedback results were mainly from employees and parent groups at Santa Rosa and Elsie Allen High School.
- Several private and charter schools started school earlier this year.
- Some districts are changing their calendars in 2006-2007 school year. Dr Liddell has received information that the entire North County is going with the early date of August 16.

### **MOTION**

It was moved by Director Lowry and seconded by Director Leddy for the Board District Calendar Advisory Committee to move forward with the calendar proposal of August 16 start day and ending day of June 1<sup>st</sup>, with a day break after each quarter and spring break starting after third quarter, to be presented to the Board on October 26, 2005.

Director Lowry AYE Director Leddy AYE Director Jeye AYE  
Superintendent Liddell AYE, Assistant Superintendent Espinoza AYE, Sharon Simoncini AYE, Mike LaPointe AYE  
Ted Milkoff Abstained Julie D'Addario Abstained  
**AYE: 7 NOES: 0 NOT VOTING: 2**

Director Jeye adjourned the Calendar Advisory Committee at 4:05 P.M.

**ADJOURNMENT**

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