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MEMORANDUM

Date: November 24, 2021
To: Board of Trustees
From: Shawna Walter, Acting Superintendent
Originator(s): Shawna Walter, Acting Superintendent
Subject: Council of School Councils' Meeting



Background:

For Trustee information, each year, the Board of Trustees has hosted the first meeting of the Sturgeon Public Schools' Council of School Councils. The meeting is usually held in late October/early November in order to give all Sturgeon Public schools the opportunity to have their first school council meeting to elect their chair and vice-chairpersons.

The Council of School Councils (COSC) is an informal gathering of the chair and/or vice-chair of each school council for the purpose of sharing information, building connections between the school councils and facilitating communication between the Board of Trustees, school councils and the Division's administrator team.

In the 2020/2021 School Year, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Board of Trustees hosted a virtual Council of School Councils' Meeting on Thursday, November 12, 2020. In previous years, the meeting was held in person, usually at central office.

As directed by the Board of Trustees at the November 10, 2021, Committee of the Whole meeting, administration has tentatively scheduled a date for the meeting on December 2, 2021, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. to be hosted online.

Administration is prepared to respond to questions at the November 24, 2021, Public Board meeting.

Recommendation:

That the Board of Trustees approve the date of December 2, 2021, for the Council of School Councils' meeting to be hosted online from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Sincerely,

Shawna Walter, M.Ed
Acting Superintendent

