



DATE: August 24, 2022

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Committee Members

GOVERNANCE POLICY: [Policy 230 – Board Committees](#)

ADDITIONAL REFERENCE: *Board Procedures Regulation 82/2019*
Education Act: Sections 34, 51, 52(1)(b)

SUBJECT: Teacher Board Advisory Committee (TBAC)

PURPOSE:

For information.

BACKGROUND:

The Teacher Board Advisory Committee is comprised of members of the Board of Trustees and Senior Executive. This Committee meets with representatives of the teaching staff throughout the school year to discuss and receive feedback on proposed changes to Board policy and regulations concerning teachers' working conditions and requests for changes to Board policy and regulations by the Alberta Teachers' Association Local.

REPORT SUMMARY:

The Teacher Board Advisory Committee (TBAC) held a meeting on June 23, 2022. The following is a summary of that meeting:

- Discussion and feedback on the Draft 2023/2024 School Calendar
 - Fall break: a unanimous response that Sturgeon Public teachers appreciate and enjoy a fall break;
 - December break: mixed responses from teachers between earlier Christmas break, or longer break into January.
 - PD Days: Teachers are happy with the number of PD days and there was a mixed reaction to Monday PD vs Friday PD.

Members of the Teacher Board Advisory Committee are prepared to respond to questions at the August 24, 2022, Public Board meeting.