EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

February 14, 2006

| TO: | Board of Trustees |
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| FROM: | E. Schmidt, Acting Superintendent of Schools |
| SUBJECT: | Process and Timeline for 2006-2007 Planning |
| ORIGINATOR: | C. McCabe, Executive Director |
| RESOURCE STAFF: | Jamie Pallett |

RECOMMENDATION

That the process and timeline for review of 2006-2007 plans, and review of the 2006-2007 operating budget, as outlined in Appendix II, be approved.

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The recommended process and timeline for the approval of the 2006-2007 operating budget is outlined on the calendar in Appendix I. Appendix II provides a more detailed description of the process.

Appendix III identifies the proposed groupings for trustee subcommittee and superintendent review of 2006-2007 plans. Trustees will review all schools in their ward, as well as a sampling of schools from all other wards over the three-year term.

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Appendix I - Process and Timeline for 2006-2007 Budget (Calendar) Appendix II - Process and Timeline for 2006-2007 Budget (Detail) Appendix III - School Groups for 2006-2007 Plan Review

Appendix I

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sa |
|---------------------|------------------|---|-----|---|--|----|
| 1 NEW YEAR'S DAY | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 CONFERENCE Trustee Initiatives to Conference | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 BOARD | 18 | 19 | 20 Trustees return Trustee Initiatives January 20 to 27 Input into projected enrolment | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 CONFERENCE | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 BOARD District Priorities to Board | 1 | 2 Meet with union presidents – orientation & info re 2006-07 budget planning process | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 CONFERENCE Trustee Retreat – Budget Process & Timeline, 2006-07 Planning Base, 2006-07 Basis of Allocation | 8 | | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 | | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 FAMILY DAY | 21 CONFERENCE Trustee Initiatives, 2006-07 Basis of Allocation to Conf | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 BOARD Staff groups present to Board | 1 | 2 TEACHER'S CONVENTION | 3 TEACHER'S CONVENTION | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 CONFERENCE 2006-07 Planning Base to Conf | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 | 14 BOARD District Rates, Trustee Initiatives & Basis of Allocation to Board | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 RESERVED (CONFERENCE) | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 SPRING RECESS | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | |

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| | 2 | 3 | 4 CONFERENCE | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 GOOD FRIDAY | 15 |
| | 16 | 17 EASTER MONDAY | 18 BOARD 2006-07 Planning Base to Board Allocations & Planning Manual Out (week of 18 th) | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| | 23 | 24 | 25 BOARD | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| | 30 EDUCATION WEEK APR 30 – MAY 6 | 1 | 2 CONFERENCE | 3 School Planning Docs Due | 4 | 5 Central Planning Docs Due | 6 |
| MAY | 7 | 8 | 9 BOARD Introduction of Budget to Board | 10 Planning Docs for 11 th & 12 th to trustees | 11 | 12 Planning Docs (remainder) to Trustees | 13 |
| | 14 TRUSTEE SUBCOM MTGS MAY 11-JUN 2 | 15 | 16 RESERVED (CONFERENCE) | 17 | 18 | 19 CENTRAL TRUSTEE SUBCOM MTG | 20 |
| | 21 | 22 VICTORIA DAY | 23 BOARD | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| | 28 | 29 | 30 RESERVED (CONFERENCE) | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 PSBAA JUNE : RED DEER |
| JUN | 4 | 5 ASBA JUNE 5-6 RED DEER | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| | 11 | 12 RESERVED (CONFERENCE) | 13 BOARD Budget Review & Approval to Board | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| | 18 | 19 | 20 RESERVED (CONFERENCE) | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| | 25 | 26 | 27 RESERVED (CONFERENCE) | 28 | 29 LAST DAY OF INSTRUCTION | 30 LAST DAY OF OPERATION | |

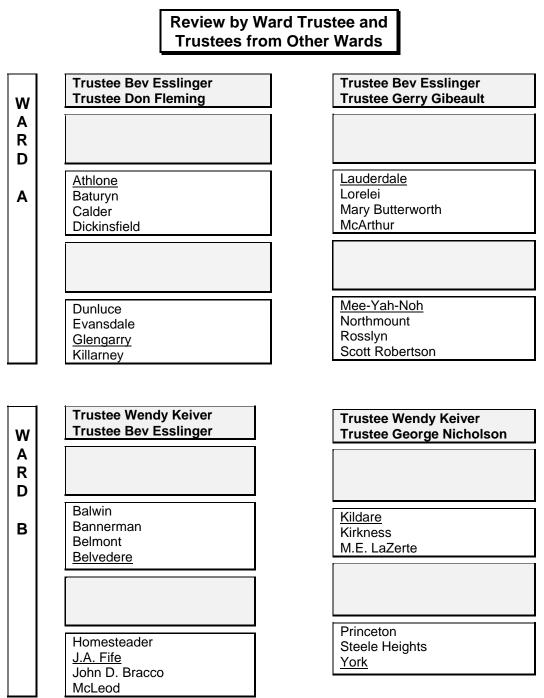
PROCESS AND TIMELINE FOR 2006-2007 BUDGET (DETAIL) Spring/Planning Timeline

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| January 10, 2006 | • The process for identifying Trustee Initiatives begins at conference | | |
| January 20-27, 2006 | Schools have opportunity for input into projected enrolment (first | | |
| | draft) for their school for the 2006-07 school year | | |
| January 31, 2006 | The board approves/affirms/amends District Priorities | | |
| February 2, 2006 | • Meet with union presidents regarding orientation & information re | | |
| | 2006-07 budget planning process | | |
| February 7, 2006 | • Process and Timeline for 2006-07 Planning, Proposed Changes to the | | |
| | Basis of Allocation for 2006-07, and 2006-07 Proposed Planning Base | | |
| T 1 4 4 600 4 | presented at Trustee Retreat for feedback | | |
| February 14, 2006 | Process and Timeline for 2006-07 Planning is recommended to board | | |
| by February 14, 2006 | • Schools have opportunity to sign off on final draft of projected | | |
| E 1 21 2006 | enrolment for their school for the 2006-07 school year | | |
| February 21, 2006 | • Trustee Planning Initiatives for 2006-07 and Proposed Changes to the | | |
| Eshmany 28, 2006 | Basis of Allocation for 2006-07 presented at conference. | | |
| February 28, 2006 | • Staff groups have opportunity to present to board their | | |
| | recommendations for consideration to revised three-year plans and | | |
| March 7, 2006 | the preparation of the 2006-07 operating budget. | | |
| March 7, 2006 | 2006-07 Proposed Planning Base presented at conference. Proposed Changes to the Basis of Allocation for 2006 07 are reported to | | |
| March 14, 2006 | Proposed Changes to the Basis of Allocation for 2006-07 are reported to board | | |
| | District Rates for 2006-07 are reported to board | | |
| | Trustee Planning Initiatives for 2006-07 are reported to board | | |
| April 1-30, 2006 | Schools will invite the chairperson of the school council and other | | |
| 11pm 1 50, 2000 | interested parents to attend the subcommittee review. | | |
| | School council members and business key communicators will be | | |
| | invited to the review of central department plans. | | |
| April 18, 2006 | • The 2006-07 Proposed Planning Base is recommended to board. | | |
| week of April 18 th , 2006 | Schools receive budget allocations and requirements for | | |
| • | documentation of plans | | |
| week of April 18 th , 2006 | Central departments receive budget allocations and requirements for | | |
| | documentation of plans | | |
| May 3, 2006 | Required documentation for schools is due to the superintendent. | | |
| May 5, 2006 | Required documentation for central departments is due to senior | | |
| | administration. | | |
| May 9, 2006 | • The superintendent will introduce the proposed budget to the board. | | |
| May 10, 2006 | • Copies of 2006-07 school plans will be made available for individual | | |
| | trustees for the schools to be reviewed May 11 and 12 by that trustee. | | |
| May 12, 2006 | • Copies of 2006-07 school plans will be made available for individual | | |
| 10 000 6 | trustees for the remainder of schools to be reviewed by that trustee. | | |
| May 12, 2006 | • Copies of 2006-07 central decision unit plans will be made available | | |
| | for individual trustees for the decision units to be reviewed by that | | |
| May 11 to June 2, 2006 | trustee. | | |
| May 11 to June 2, 2006 | • Each group of principals presents its plans at a public meeting to | | |
| | designated trustees and to the superintendent. | | |
| | • The meetings will be scheduled by the superintendent's office. | | |
| | • A designated principal in each review group will determine the place | | |

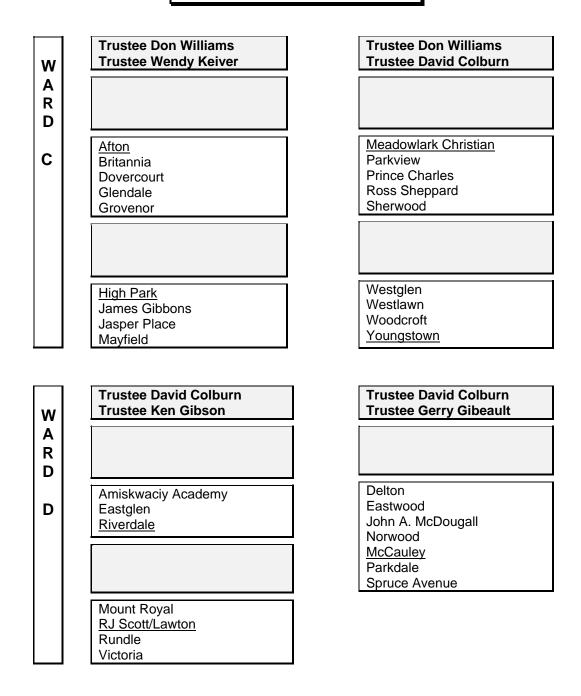
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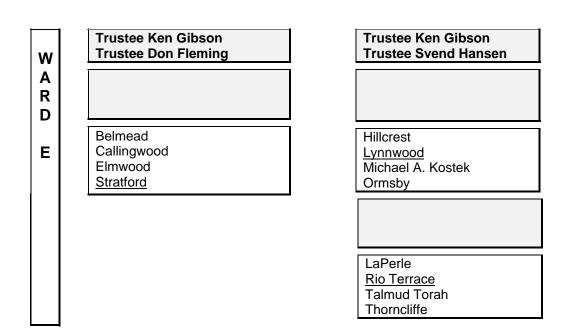
| | Process |
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| | of the meeting subject to the requirement that groups meet within the ward. Superintendent review meetings and reviews of central departments will be at the Centre for Education. The format of the school review meetings will be as follows: a) The meeting will not exceed one and one-half hours for groups of four schools and two hours for groups of five or more. b) The agenda will include: i. Welcome and introductions by the hosting principal. ii. The trustee chair will outline the process for the meeting. (3 min.) iii. Each principal will present in turn and begin by introducing any staff, students, or parents in attendance. iv. The principal will then highlight (5 minutes) year two of their revised 2005-2008 plans. v. After each presentation there will be opportunity for questions from trustees. (5 minutes) Although principals will not involve parents, students, or staff in the presentation, there will be opportunity for anyone present at the meeting to ask questions or comment on each school's plan. vi. Other (15 minutes) - other questions or items for discussion identified by trustees, principals, or others present at the meeting. c) Minutes of the meetings will be kept, including a record of questions and responses. The minutes will be made available to |
| May 19, 2006 | all trustees.Each central department presents its plans at a public meeting to |
| | designated trustees. |
| by June 2, 2006 | • All schools will communicate their budget plans to their school community. Where this is done through a community meeting, schools will advise the board office of the time and place. This information will be provided to trustees. |
| June 13, 2006 | Budget Summaries binders will be provided to the superintendent and trustees. The board will review plans of schools and central departments. Trustees will have an opportunity to comment on the process, share perspectives regarding the reviews of school and central decision unit plans, and identify trends they have noted. Principals from Superintendent's Council and central decision unit administrators will be present to respond to trustee questions. Trustees may present notices of motion regarding the recommended budget. Trustee motions are considered additive unless otherwise stated. Following consideration of notices of motion the board approves the proposed plans and budget. The Edmonton Public Schools' Three-Year Education Plan is |
| June 16, 2006 | approved by board for forwarding to Alberta Learning. Budget Summaries binders will be placed in the trustee reading room and Edmonton Public Libraries. |

School Groups for 2006-2007 Plan Review Trustee Review



The principal of the school underlined in the trustee subcommittee groupings is asked to be responsible for identifying to the board office the location of the meeting, to act as host of the meeting, and arrange for the taking of minutes. Please e-mail the location of the meeting to Manon Fraser. Dates and times will then be set by the board office and communicated as soon as possible. Further instructions will be provided to the host schools closer to the plan review dates.



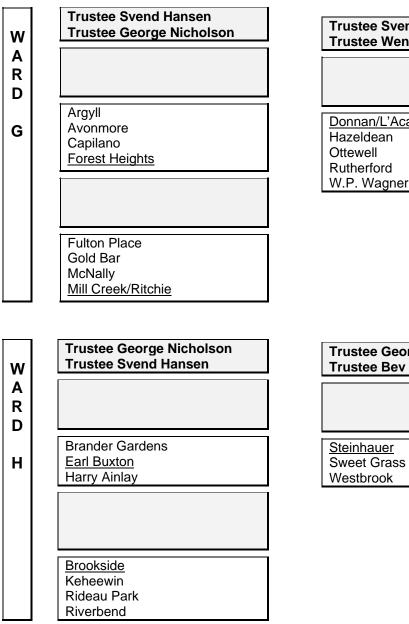


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| F | Alberta School for the Deaf/ Tevie Miller Allendale <u>McKee</u> |
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| | Centre High Garneau Grandview Heights Mount Pleasant |

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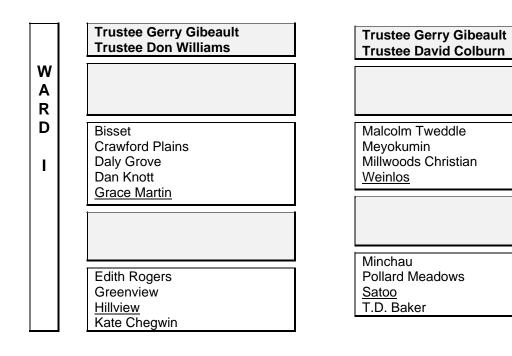
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Trustee Svend Hansen **Trustee Wendy Keiver**

Donnan/L'Academie Vimy Ridge W.P. Wagner

Trustee George Nicholson Trustee Bev Esslinger



School Groups for 2006-2007 Plan Review Superintendent's Review

| Review by Superintendent | Review by Superintendent |
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| Abbott Academy at King Edward King Edward Aldergrove Beacon Heights Belgravia Braemar | George P. Nicholson Glenora Greenfield Hardisty Highlands Holyrood Horse Hill |
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| Brightview Caernarvon Centennial Clara Tyner Coronation Crestwood D.S. MacKenzie | Institutional Services Yellowhead Kennedale Outreach Programs Capital Health Glenrose Woodside |
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| Delwood Duggan Edmonton Christian Ekota Ellerslie Campus Fraser George H. Luck | Inglewood J. Percy Page Jackson Heights John Barnett Julia Kiniski Kameyosek Kenilworth |

Review by Superintendent

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Kensington Lago Lindo Laurier Heights Lee Ridge Londonderry Lymburn Major General Griesbach

Malmo McKernan Meadowlark Menisa Meyonohk Montrose



Newton Oliver Overlanders Patricia Heights Queen Elizabeth Richard Secord

S. Bruce Smith Sakaw Sifton Strathcona Tipaskan Velma E. Baker

Vernon Barford Virginia Park Waverley Westminster Westmount Winterburn