

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY

Appointment of 2023-2024 Calendar Committee Members

August 22, 2022

Background Information

The Board of Education of Harford County charts annually a calendar committee to make recommendations on future school schedules. The Board established on April 15, 2002, the makeup of the committee. The committee meets to make recommendations for a calendar eight months hence. Prior to the committee's meeting, the Board of Education endorses membership on the committee. For the twentieth year, the Board of Education has directed that a Board member serve as an ex-officio member of the calendar committee.

In addition, the Board of Education is asked to establish parameters to be considered by the committee prior to the committee's meeting.

Discussion

The Communications Office has compiled a list of potential members in the attached document matching the categories established by the Board of Education. The 2023-24 calendar committee will be scheduled to meet and make recommendations in a virtual meeting at the beginning of September.

Superintendent's Recommendation

The Superintendent recommends that the Board of Education of Harford County confirm the members of the 2023-24 HCPS calendar committee as listed on the included document. In addition, the Superintendent recommends the Board provide parameters via Board Calendar Committee Liaisons Rachel Gauthier, David Bauer, and Ariane Kelly for the committee to consider.

Harford County Public Schools 2023-2024 Calendar Committee Members

Board Liaison

Rachel Gauthier, *President, Board of Education*

David Bauer, *Elected Board Member*

Ariane Kelly, *Appointed Board Member*

Harford County Regional Association of Student Councils

Noa Blanken, *Student Member, Board of Education*

Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources

Ben Richardson

Assistant Superintendent for Operations

Cornell Brown

Executive Director of Elementary School Instruction and Performance

Renee Villareal

Executive Director of Middle & High School Performance

Mike O'Brien

Executive Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment

Heather Kutcher, *Acting*

Monica Hobbs, *Administrative Support Coordinator*

Supervisor of Accountability

Phillip Snyder

Supervisor of Equity & Cultural Proficiency

Paula Stanton

Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment

Heather Kutcher

Director of Organizational Development and Continuous Learning

Peter Carpenter

HCPS Teacher of the Year

Ashley Gereli, *Churchville Elementary School*

Elementary School Principals

Meridith Dunlap, *Ring Factory Elementary School*

Jennifer Gasdia, *Havre de Grace Elementary School*

Harford County Public Schools 2023-2024 Calendar Committee Members

Secondary School Principals

Sandra McMichael, *Edgewood High School*

Helen Miller, *Southampton Middle School*

Harford County Parent Teacher Association (PTA) Representatives

Renee DeBiase, *Harford County Council PTA President*

Tina Brown, *Youth's Benefit Elementary School*

Ishita Fischer, *Meadowvale Elementary School*

American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees

Joe Livingston

Association of Harford County Administrative, Technical & Supervisory Professionals/ Transportation Representative

Danielle Bedsaul

Association of Public School Administrators & Supervisors of Harford County

Stacey Gerringer

Harford County Education Association/ Harford County Educational Services Council

Chrystie Crawford-Smick

Special Education Citizens Advisory Committee

Jeanne Erdley, *Chairperson*

Aberdeen Proving Ground

Stacie Umbarger, *School Liaison Officer*

Business Community

Kim Hyde, *Har-co Credit Union*

Harford Community College

Courtney Mitchell, *HCC Registrar*

Day Care Providers

Rachel Duncan, *Boys & Girls Club*

Patrick Leist, *Hot Spots*

Ikeia Prince, *YMCA*

Religious Organizations

Rabbi Kushi Schusterman, *Harford Chabad*

Agricultural Community

Robert Tibbs, *Shadow Springs Farm*