

NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING AND AGENDA



September 25, 2019

**Educational Services Center
395 South Pratt Parkway
Longmont, Colorado 80501**

Joie Siegrist, President, Board of Education

Dr. Don Haddad, Superintendent of Schools

DISTRICT VISION STATEMENT

To be an exemplary school district which inspires and promotes high standards of learning and student well-being in partnership with parents, guardians and the community.

DISTRICT MISSION STATEMENT

To educate each student in a safe learning environment so that they may develop to their highest potential and become contributing citizens.

ESSENTIAL BOARD ROLES

*Guide the superintendent
Engage constituents
Ensure alignment of resources
Monitor effectiveness
Model excellence*

BOARD MEMBERS

*John Ahrens, Secretary
Chico Garcia, Member
Dr. Richard Martyr, Member
Paula Peairs, Vice President
Karen Ragland, Treasurer & Asst Secy
Joie Siegrist, President
Robert J. Smith, Member*

1. CALL TO ORDER:

6:00 pm Regular Business Meeting

2. ADDENDUMS/CHANGES TO THE AGENDA:

3. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

4. VISITORS:

1. Excellence in Education Award – Student Services

5. REPORTS:

1. 2019 Achievement Data

6. CONSENT ITEMS:

1. Approval: First Reading, Adoption, Board Exhibit CC-E – St. Vrain Administrative Organizational Chart

7. ACTION ITEMS:

1. Recommendation: Approval of 2019-2020 District Calendar Adjustment

8. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

1. Board Reports

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Board of Education Meetings: Held at 395 South Pratt Parkway, Board Room, unless otherwise noted:

Wednesday, October 9	6:00 pm Regular Meeting
Wednesday, October 16	6:00 – 8:00 pm Study Session-Trail Ridge
Wednesday, October 23	5:30 pm CAFR
	6:00 pm Regular Meeting

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 25, 2019

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Don Haddad, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: 2019 CMAS (ELA, Math, Science, and Social Studies) and the SAT Suite of Assessments (SAT, PSAT 10, and PSAT 9)
Strategic Priority – Rigorous, Well-Aligned Standards, Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment

PURPOSE

To provide the Board of Education with an update on 2019 Achievement and Growth data for all state assessment measures: CMAS (ELA, Math, Science, and Social Studies) and the SAT Suite of Assessments (SAT, PSAT 10, and PSAT 9).

BACKGROUND

District students completed 26,617 CMAS ELA and Math tests, and 6,775 PSAT and SAT tests. An in-depth report was provided at the Board of Education Study Session on September 18, 2019.

Dr. Ann Reed, Executive Director of Assessment, will be available for questions.

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 25, 2019

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Don Haddad, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: First Reading, Adoption, Board Exhibit CC-E – St. Vrain
Organizational Chart
Strategic Priority – Strong/Visionary Leadership

RECOMMENDATION

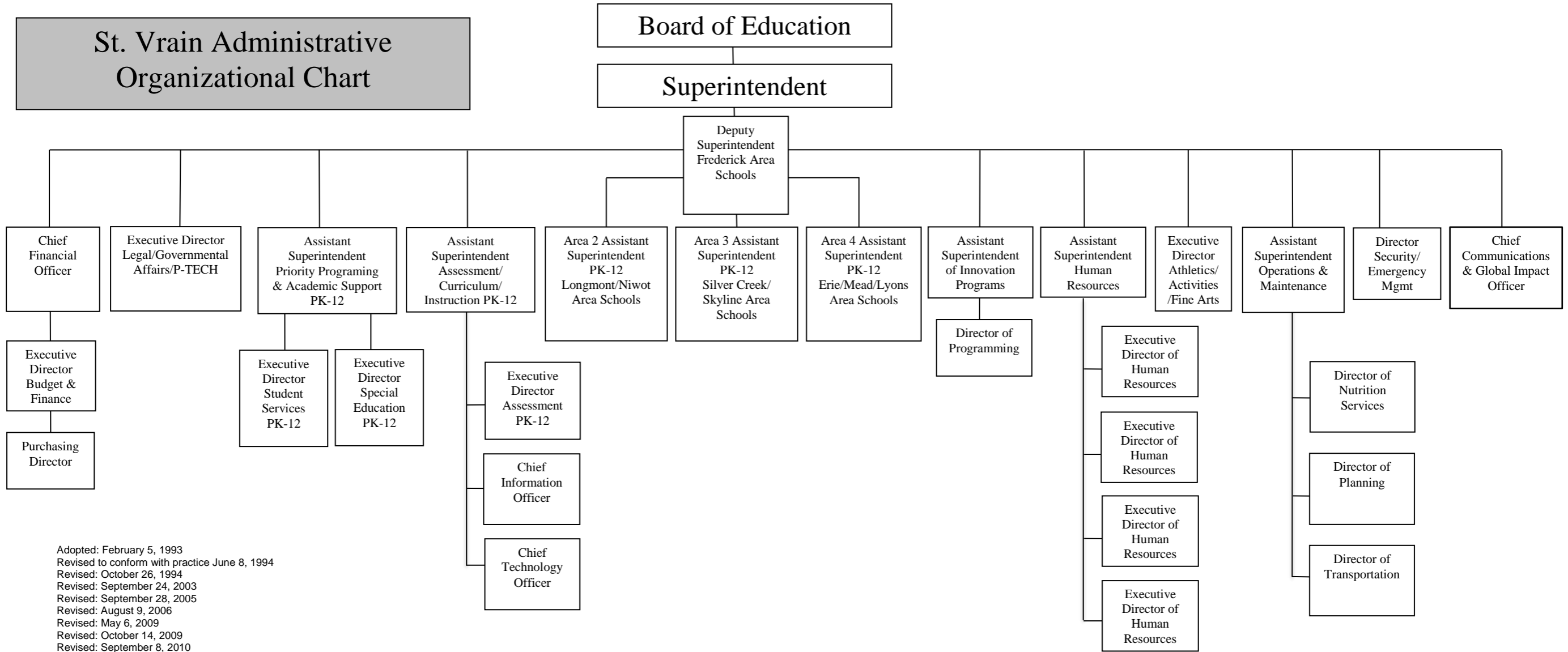
That the Board of Education approve revisions to Board Exhibit CC-E – St. Vrain Organizational Chart.

BACKGROUND

These revisions are necessary for alignment with current practice and have been reviewed by the Superintendent.

Residents of the St. Vrain Valley School District RE-1J

St. Vrain Administrative Organizational Chart



Adopted: February 5, 1993
 Revised to conform with practice June 8, 1994
 Revised: October 26, 1994
 Revised: September 24, 2003
 Revised: September 28, 2005
 Revised: August 9, 2006
 Revised: May 6, 2009
 Revised: October 14, 2009
 Revised: September 8, 2010
 Revised: November 12, 2014
 Revised: October 28, 2015
 Revised: January 27, 2016
 Revised: September 28, 2016
 Revised: October 11, 2017
 Revised: September 26, 2018

Statement of Purpose

The leadership structure of the St. Vrain Valley School District represents a systems approach to student achievement. This structure is designed to maximize organizational performance and optimize resources dedicated to the alignment of standards, curriculum, instruction and assessment, as well as technology, professional development, communications, and partnerships with business and industry, post-secondary institutions, parents and other stakeholders.

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 25, 2019

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Don Haddad, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: Approval of 2019-2020 School District Calendar Adjustment
Strategic Priority – Outstanding Communication & Community Collaboration

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Education approve a change to the 2019-2020 District Calendar.

BACKGROUND

Due to the increasing number of students graduating from Olde Columbine High School, a larger venue needs to be used. In order to make this accommodation, the graduation date will shift from May 21, 2019 to May 22, 2019, and the venue changes from Altona Middle School to Longmont High School.

Board Policy IC/ICA School Year/School Calendar/Instruction Time states “Any change in the calendar except for emergency closings or other unforeseen circumstances shall be preceded by adequate and timely notice of no less than 30 days.” Having approval by the Board on September 25, 2019 more than satisfies that policy rule so that the District is able to communicate that change to parents and students.












Dr. Diane Lauer, Assistant Superintendent of Priority Programs and Academic Support, will be present to address any questions.

ST. VRAIN VALLEY SCHOOLS

academic excellence by design

2019-2020 Academic Calendar

CALENDAR LEGEND

-  **Professional Learning Community Day/Late Start - 7 Total**
All students in schools begin the school day 2.5 hours later than normal.
All teachers/staff will be engaged in collaborative professional development.
-  **Non-Student Contact Days**
9 Total - 5 Work, 4 Compensation
-  **Schools Closed**
3 Split Days (Aug 7-8, 2019; Apr 27, 2020)
-  Beginning of quarter
-  End of quarter
-  Beginning of trimester
-  End of trimester
-  **New Teacher Orientation**
-  **Graduation**
-  **Denotes Day 1**
For Middle & High School Schedules
-  **Summer school, academic enrichment opportunities and community schools programming.** For a complete schedule go to www.svvsd.org/summerlearning

IMPORTANT DATES

- Aug 1-2, 5, 2019: New Teacher Orientation
- Aug 6-9, 12, 2019: Non-Student Contact Days (Aug 7, 8, 2019 - Split Days)
- Aug 13, 2019: First Day of School for Students
- Sep 2, 2019: Labor Day
- Oct 18, 21, 2019: Non-Student Contact Days
- Nov 25-29, 2019: Thanksgiving Break
- Dec 20, 2019: Non-Student Contact Day
- Dec 23, 2019 - Jan 3, 2020: Winter Break
- Jan 17, 2020: Non-Student Contact Day
- Jan 20, 2020: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- Feb 14, 2020: Non-Student Contact Day
- Feb 17, 2020: Presidents' Day
- Mar 20, 2020: Non-Student Contact Day
- Mar 23-27, 2020: Spring Break
- Apr 27, 2020: Non-Student Contact Day (Split Day)
- May 20, 2020: Graduation - Life Skills ACE Completion Ceremony
- May 21, 2020: Last Day of School for Students
- May 21, 2020: Graduation - Universal HS
- May 22, 2020: Non-Student Contact Day
- May 22, 2020: Graduation - St. Vrain Online Global Academy, Olde Columbine HS
- May 23, 2020: Graduation - Erie HS, Frederick HS, Longmont HS, Lyons M/S, Niwot HS, Silver Creek HS
- May 23, 2020: Graduation - Mead HS, Skyline HS - Staggered
- May 25, 2020: Memorial Day

If for any reason this calendar must be altered the Board of Education may schedule makeup dates on Saturdays, during scheduled school breaks, and/or at the end of the present calendar.

Adopted by the Board of Education on 01/24/2018

July 2019							August 2019							September 2019						
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October 2019							November 2019							December 2019						
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January 2020							February 2020							March 2020						
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April 2020							May 2020							June 2020						
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STUDENT CONTACT DAYS

Quarters/Semesters
 1st Quarter: 43
 2nd Quarter: 42 1st Semester: 85
 3rd Quarter: 47
 4th Quarter: 42 2nd Semester: 89
 174 Total Days

Trimesters
 1st Trimester: 56
 2nd Trimester: 61
 3rd Trimester: 57

174 Total Days

NON-STUDENT CONTACT DAYS

5 Teacher Work Days
 3 Split Days
 4 Teacher Compensation Days for evening parent conferences. Conferences are frequently scheduled in the evening to accommodate the schedules of working parents. Please check with your student's school for specific dates and times for their conferences.

MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 25, 2019
TO: Board of Education
FROM: Dr. Don Haddad, Superintendent of Schools
SUBJECT: Board Reports
Strategic Priority – High Functioning School Board

PURPOSE

To provide the Board of Education with the opportunity to share recognitions.

BACKGROUND

Board members will have the opportunity to share recognitions, commendations of staff/ students, committee reports and events they have attended.