I am requesting input from your councils again concerning our summer 2022 hours.

First, is the preference to continue the 4-day summer work week?

Assuming so, here are several choices. Note that Alva Public Schools will be in session until Wednesday, May 18th.

Historically we have selected 10 weeks during the summer to have the condensed work week, but this can be adjusted to nine weeks as another choice.

One option would be to start the summer hours on Monday, May 16th and end on Thursday, July 21st. (10 weeks)

Another option would be to start the summer hours on Monday, May 23rd and end on Thursday, July 28th. (10 weeks)

Start Monday, May 23rd and end Thursday, July 21st. (9 weeks)

A final option would be to only have 9 weeks of reduced summer hours and start Tuesday, May 31st and end July 21st. (9 weeks)

The more working days we have from the last 10-hour day the more human resources efforts that can be given to increasing enrollments and retention of continuing students.

Meeting Notes:

David discussed that he wanted input from the Professional Staff Council and the Staff Council on the summer work week schedule for 2022.

The council discussed that some employees may enjoy the condensed schedule while others do not. A suggestion was made to possibly send out a survey within the next academic year to determine if the employee consensus would be to continue or stop the condensed summer schedule. We may send out a survey in October 2022.

The Professional Staff Council did not have a strong preference for the length (8-week vs. 10 week) summer work hour schedule.  The council feels that either schedule is appropriate.  The consensus was to begin on May 23rd and end on July 28th but again were open to the other options as well.