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To: Kristine Gilmore, Ed.D., Superintendent
From: Lois Alt, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent,
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Date: March 17, 2010
Subject: DPI Waiver

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I would like to have a discussion at the March School Board meeting regarding the potential for a DPI waiver for three instructional days. The minutes represented in these days are already accounted for in our daily minutes log. These days would be used for staff development and would replace six of the half-day early-release sessions that we currently hold for elementary teachers.

The DPI requires that this topic be a board agenda item and that the community has an opportunity to offer input regarding this proposal. As you know, we have had many parents already express interest in our moving from half-day to full-day staff development sessions. This helps parents plan for childcare. It also will save transportation, food service, and EPU costs for the District.

Please add this item to the agenda for approval. Thank you.