MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between the Alachua County Public Schools and the Alachua County Education Association

Year-Round School Calendar

Both parties agree that working collaboratively to develop district school calendars is important. The district sent a proposed 10-month school calendar for the 2024-2025 school year to ACEA for review. Both parties have agreed on a 10-month school calendar that will go before the Board for approval on February 20, 2024.

The district recently received permission from the Florida Department of Education to participate in a multi-year study involving "year-round" school at both Metcalfe and Rawlings Elementary Schools. This new process will require additional time to collaborate for a proposed "year-round" school calendar.

Both parties also agree to waive the March 1 deadline to have this new "year-round" calendar for Metcalfe and Rawlings before the Board as required in the Instructional and Education Support Professional Collective Bargaining Agreements. The new deadline will be April 3. This MOU is in effect for the 2023-2024 school year.

Dated this 26 day of February 2024.

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