

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Monday, April 21, 2008
Roughrider Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting
- 9:05 a.m. Presentation by the Department of Public Instruction staff regarding the distribution of per student payments, contingency payments, and deferred maintenance payments; the determination of special education contract costs; and school district ending fund balances
- 9:45 a.m. Presentation by Chairman Kelsch and Mr. Doug Johnson, Executive Director, North Dakota Council of Educational Leaders, regarding the draft report entitled *Funding Schools Adequately in North Dakota: Resources to Double Student Performance*
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. Presentation by Ms. Janet Welk, Executive Director, Education Standards and Practices Board, regarding teacher qualifications and professional development requirements
- 11:00 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Paul Johnson, Superintendent, Bismarck Public School District, regarding educational adequacy and its impact on school districts
- 12:00 noon Luncheon recess
- 1:00 p.m. Presentation by Ms. Val Fischer, Director of School Health, Department of Public Instruction, regarding health education in the state

Presentation by Ms. Barb Bjorum, teacher, Valley City Public School District, regarding challenges in providing health education

Presentation by Mr. Perry Lauer, Bismarck Police Department School Resource Officer, regarding the public consequences of risk behaviors by students

Presentation by Mr. Mark Winkelman, Winkelman Consulting, regarding the impact of health education on risk behaviors
- 3:00 p.m. Break
- 3:15 p.m. Presentation by Ms. Fischer regarding the purchase and distribution to school districts of automated external defibrillators
- 3:20 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Scott Halvorson, Director, Adult Learning Center, Bismarck Public School District, regarding federal and state funding for adult learning centers
- 3:40 p.m. Comments by interested persons
Staff directives
- 4:00 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives RaeAnn G. Kelsch (Chairman), C. B. Haas, Lyle Hanson, Gil Herbel, Bob Hunsakor, Karen Karls, Lisa Meier, David Monson, Phillip Mueller, Gary Sukut, Francis J. Wald, John D. Wall
Senators John M. Andrist, Tim Flakoll, Layton W. Freborg, Gary A. Lee, Carolyn Nelson