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## **News Release**

### ***Governor's Advisory Board for Online Learning Meets Monday, Jan. 14***

The Governor's Advisory Board for Online Learning will meet Monday (Jan. 14) from 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at the Colorado Talking Books Library, 180 Sheridan Blvd., in Denver.

The board is charged with advising the Colorado State Board of Education on policies, statutory requirements and the progress of the online learning unit at the Colorado Department of Education.

The agenda is:

- 9:30 a.m. – Call to order; approval of minutes
- 9:35 a.m. – Report from advisory board chair and re-cap of State Board of Education meeting
- 9:50 a.m. – Administrative details for advisory board process, review of timelines, report on next steps for Unit of Online Learning
- 10:00 a.m. – Public comment (sign up upon arrival; three minute time limit)
- 10:40 a.m. – Discussion: Phase 2 rule-making process
  - Detailed overview of emergency rules

- Further input to Colorado Department of Education on the permanent rules
  - Discussion: "Complete Educational Program"
- Noon – lunch
- 12:45 p.m. – Discussion: February report to the state board as required by SB-215 summarizing activities of multi-district, single-district and supplemental online programs in Colorado.
- 1:05 p.m. – Discussion: The advisory board shall make recommendations to the state board by Feb. 1, 2008 regarding any provisions of this article (Senate Bill 215) that should not be waived by the state board
- 1:55 p.m. – Discussion: Recommendations of the advisory board regarding appropriateness of existing policies and statutory requirements concerning online programs
- 2:45 p.m. – Public comment (sign up upon arrival; three minute time limit)
- 3:15 p.m. – Wrap-up and set agenda for next meeting

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