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News Release

Public School Capital Construction Assistance Board Meeting is Wednesday, Feb. 11

The next meeting of the Public School Capital Construction Assistance Board is scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 11 in Denver.

The board members will be attending this meeting via teleconference. If members of the public wish to attend, a room has been made available at the State Service Building, 1525 Sherman St., Suite B-75 in Denver. The meeting will be held from 10 to 11:30a.m.

The meeting agenda includes:

- Approve minutes from the prior meeting
- Review and adopt the Building Excellent Schools Today (BEST) grant program rules
- Discuss future meetings and meeting sites

For more information on the meeting, contact Ted Hughes, director of the division of public school capital construction assistance at 303-866-6948.

About BEST

The BEST legislation increases the level of financial assistance provided to school districts, charter schools and Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) for capital construction projects,

particularly in those school districts that can't afford to meet their own needs.

The function of the Public School Capital Construction Assistance Board is to protect the health and safety of persons using public school facilities and to maximize student achievement by ensuring public school facilities provide a safe and un-crowded environment that is conducive to student learning.

For more information on the Capital Construction Assistance Board and to read board minutes, visit http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdefinance/CapConstmain.htm

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