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News Release

State Board Meeting Agenda for Wednesday, Sept. 9

The Colorado State Board of Education will hold a combined work session and regular meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 9. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. in the first-floor board room at the Colorado Department of Education offices, 201 E. Colfax Ave. in Denver.

Following is the agenda:

- Call to order, roll call, Pledge of Allegiance, inspirational message, approval of the agenda, opportunity for consent motion.
- State Board of Education reports
- Report from Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones
- Report from CDE staff
 - Communications office
 - Budget update
 - State board of education office
 - Legislative update (the board will discuss legislative priorities)
- Lunch
- Reports from CDE staff (continued)
 - Overview of the Implementation of S.B.09-163.

- Update on the 2008-2009 Colorado Model Content Standards Review.

Action Items:

- Approval of waiver requests by Denver Public Schools on behalf of the Math and Science Leadership Academy.
- Appointments to the State Parent Advisory Council, S.B. 09-090.
- A request for a waiver from certain statutes by the East Grand School District on behalf of Indian Peaks Charter School.
- Adoption of emergency rules pertaining to Food and Nutrition Services.
- Approval of notice of rulemaking pertaining to 1 CCR 301-3, Food and Nutrition Services
- Approval of notice of rulemaking for the administration of Individual Career and Academic Plans.
- Approval of notice of rulemaking for the proposed rules for the administration of the Colorado Schoolchildren's Food Allergy and Anaphylaxis Management Act, 1 CCR 301-68.
- Approval of the revision to the rules governing Career and Technical Education Licensing, 1 CCR 301-37.
- Educational Data Advisory Committee replacements for terms ending and unexpected resignation.
- Approval of funding to administrative units for special education programs under the Exceptional Children's Educational Act, 2009-2010.
- Approval or requests for renewal emergency authorizations (four total).
- Request for approval of initial emergency authorizations (six total).
- New Instructional Technology Endorsement Teachers Preparation Program from the Colorado State University-Pueblo.

- New Literacy Instruction Authorization Teacher Preparation Program submitted by Colorado State University.
- Teacher induction program submitted by the Academy Charter School.
- Disciplinary proceedings concerning a license charge No. 2009EC07.
- Disciplinary proceedings concerning a license charge No. 2009EC08.

Information Only

- Proposed amendments to the rules for the administration of 1 CCR 301-445, the Protection of Persons from Restraint Act. The State Board of Education will hold a public rulemaking hearing to amend the Rules for the Administration of the Protection of Persons from Restraint Act. The rulemaking hearing will be held on **Thursday, Oct. 8, 2009, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.** at the Colorado Department of Education. The proposed rules are currently available on the CDE Web site at www.cde.state.co.us/cdesped/Restrains.asp.

Testimony at the public rulemaking hearing may be limited to three minutes per speaker. Written testimony is encouraged and will be provided to the State Board for its consideration. To submit written testimony, please send to the following e-mail address: state.board.efilings@cde.state.co.us prior to Friday, Sept. 18, 2009.

Issues and Trends

- Presentation on S.B.09-256 regarding career and college planning by College in Colorado.

Public Comment

- The public is invited to give public comment.

For additional information about each agenda item or to review the proposed rules, please visit the state board's Web page for agendas: <http://www.boarddocs.com/co/cde/Board.nsf/Public>

Please note: The Colorado Department of Education offices will be closed Monday, Sept. 7 for Labor Day and Tuesday, Sept. 8 for a state-mandated furlough day.

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