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News Release

Schedule for Commissioner Jones, Nov. 22 - 27

Sunday, Nov. 22

Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones and Lt. Gov. Barbara O'Brien will visit "Your Show" on 9 News to answer your education funding-related questions, particularly about Colorado's chances to receive national Race to the Top stimulus funding from the federal government.

Time: 10 a.m.

Location: 9 News, 500 Speer Blvd., Denver

Monday, Nov. 23

Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones will meet with school superintendents and community members to provide information and answer questions about the effort to win a share of the "Race to the Top" grants from the federal government.

Time: 8 a.m.

Location: Lamar Community Center, 601 S. 6th St., Lamar

Please Note

Also, please note the Colorado Department of Education offices will be closed on Wednesday, Nov. 25 and Thursday, Nov. 26 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Offices also will be closed on Friday, Nov. 27 as the department participates in a state- mandated furlough day.

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