

**To: Members of the State Board of
Education & Early Development**

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From: Heidi Teshner, Acting Commissioner

Agenda Item: 1

◆ ISSUE

This is a standing report to the board regarding budget and legislation.

◆ BACKGROUND

- The board will be briefed on the department's FY2023 Enacted Budget.
- The board will be briefed on the status of legislation impacting the department from the 2022 legislative session, including specific updates on HB 114 Alaska Reads Act and SB 34 Tribal Compacting.
- Behind this cover memo are: 1) a summary of passed education-related legislation; 2) a summary of the passed budget items impacting the department; 3) funding allocations to School Construction and Major Maintenance projects; 4) a draft timeline for the implementation of HB 114 Alaska Reads Act; and 5) a draft timeline for the implementation of SB 34 Tribal Compacting.
- The following staff will be present to brief the board:
 - Lacey Sanders, Deputy Commissioner;
 - Sabrina Javier, Administrative Services Director;
 - Susan McKenzie, Director of Innovation and Education Excellence; and,
 - Joel Isaak, Director of Tribal Affairs.

◆ OPTIONS

This is an information update. No action is necessary.