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State Board to Meet by Audio Conference January 27

JUNEAU -- The State Board of Education and Early Development will meet by audio conference at noon on January 27. The meeting will originate from the first-floor state board room at 801 West 10th Street in Juneau. The public is invited to attend in Juneau or by telephone from anywhere in Alaska, including Juneau. The board packet is at https://education.alaska.gov/State_Board/pdf/17-January-Packet.pdf.

Topics at the work session include the department's operating and capital budgets for fiscal year 2018, a report on the upcoming legislative session, a proposed change to the date of the board's spring meeting, and documents to define the board's strategic goals. Topics at the business meeting include setting dates for future meetings and approving the department's budget, the annual report to the legislature, and minutes of the December 8, 2016, meeting.

Public comment is open on agenda and non-agenda items. Public comment can be made for this meeting, beginning at approximately 12:10 p.m., by calling 1-844-586-9085 if you are outside of Juneau. For participation from Juneau, call 586-9085.

This meeting will be streamed through the Legislative Information Office over http://www.alaskalegislature.tv/ beginning at noon on January 25 (audio only). Click on the meeting name to listen to the proceedings. When public comment is over, the meeting will continue to be broadcast at the above web site.

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