

**State Board of Education & Early Development
Tentative Agenda
March 10-11, 2025
Alaska Department of Transportation & Public Facilities
3132 Channel Drive, Room 140, Juneau, AK 99801**

Mission Statement: *An excellent education for every student every day.*

Board – Professional Development

Monday, March 10, 2025

Professional Development

8:00 AM

1. Joint House and Senate Education Committee Hearing.....James Fields, Chair
.....Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
.....Jacob Almeida, Legislative Liaison

12:30 PM

2. Committee Meetings.....(Reading, CTE & Cultural Education, Safety & Well-Being, Tribal Compacting, Effective Educators).....James Fields, Chair

2:30 PM

3. State Board of Education Committee Reports and Discussion..... James Fields, Chair
 - 3A. Reading.....Sally Stockhausen, Committee Chair
 - 3B. CTE & Cultural Education.....Committee Chair Vacant
 - 3C. Safety & Well-Being.....Barbara Tyndall, Committee Chair
 - 3D. Tribal.....Pamela Dupras, Committee Chair
 - 3E. Effective Educators.....Sally Stockhausen, Committee Chair

4:25 PM RECESS

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4. Alaska Public School Trust Advisory Board Meeting

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Call to Order and Roll CallJames Fields, Chair
Pledge of AllegianceJames Fields, Chair
Adoption of Agenda for March 10-11, 2025.James Fields, Chair
Disclosures of potential conflicts of interest.....James Fields, Chair

Work Session

8:15 AM

5. Board Member Oath of Office.....James Fields, Chair
.....Joshua Pak, Student Advisor

8:35 AM

Public Comment

Public comment is open on agenda and non-agenda items. Comment at this oral hearing is limited to three minutes per person and five minutes per group. The public comment period is an opportunity for the board to hear the public's concerns. The board will not engage in discussions with members of the public during the comment period.

Public comment can be made for this meeting, during this time in person, or by joining the online Zoom meeting at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85960517485> or by calling 1-253-215-8782 (toll free) and selecting *9 on your phone's keypad (Meeting ID 859 6051 7485).

In the event there are more than two hours of public comment, the board may move to amend the agenda to extend the oral hearing to accommodate those present before 11:00 a.m. who did not have an opportunity to comment. The board also reserves the right to adjourn at a later time.

9:30 AM

- 6. School Construction and Major Maintenance List Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
 Heather Heineken, Director of Finance and Support Services
 Michael Butikofer, Technical Engineer, Finance and Support Services

9:50 AM

- 7. Legislative and Budget Update Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
 Jacob Almeida, Legislative Liaison
 Monique Siverly, Administrative Services Director

10:10 AM RECESS

10:30 AM

- 8. Sealaska Heritage Institute Tour Kristy Ford, Director

12:30 PM

- 9. Charter School Renewals Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
 Don Enoch, Education Administrator, Innovations in Education Excellence
 - 9A. American Charter Academy School
 - 9B. Academy K-12 Public Charter School
 - 9C. Effie Kokrine Charter School
 - 9D. Birchtree Charter School
 - 9E. Rilke Schule Charter School
 - 9F. Hooper Bay Charter School
 - 9G. Midnight Sun Family Learning Center
 - 9H. Aurora Borealis Charter School

1:00 PM

- 10. Tulen Charter School Application Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
 Kyle McFall, Education Director

1:20 PM BREAK

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- 11. Regulations for Approval Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
 - 11A. Retired Teacher and National Board Certification Kelly Manning, Deputy Director
 Innovation in Education Excellence
 Colleen Walker, Administrator, Innovation in Education Excellence
 Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

11B. Teacher Certification Content Area Exams.....Kelly Manning, Deputy Director
.....Innovation in Education Excellence
.....Colleen Walker, Administrator, Innovation in Education Excellence
.....Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

1:50 PM

12. Regulations for Public Comment.....Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner

12A. Office of Education Advocacy.....Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
.....Karen Morrison, Deputy Commissioner
.....Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

12B. Alaska Native Language for K-3 Reading Standards,.....Deborah Riddle, Division
.....Operations Manager, Innovation in Education Excellence
.....Kari Shaginoff, Project Coordinator, Innovation in Education Excellence
.....Kristy Ford, Education Director, SHI
.....Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

2:20 PM

13. Current Alaska Education Updates Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
.....Karen Morrison, Deputy Commissioner

2:50 PM BREAK

Business Meeting

3:10 PM

14. Approve School Construction and Major Maintenance List
..... Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
.....Heather Heineken, Director of Finance and Support Services
.....Michael Butikofer, Technical Engineer, Finance and Support Services

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15. Charter School Approval..... Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner
.....Don Enoch, Education Administrator, Innovations in Education Excellence

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18. Regulations for Public Comment.....Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner

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.....Karen Morrison, Deputy Commissioner
.....Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

18B. Alaska Native Language Standards....Deborah Riddle, Division Operations Manager,
..... Innovation in Education Excellence
.....Kristy Ford, Education Director, SHI
.....Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

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19. Questions Regarding Standing Reports James Fields, Chair
19A. Innovation and Education Excellence.....Kathy Moffitt, Director
19B. Libraries, Archives & MuseumsDr. Amy Phillips-Chan, Director
19C. Finance and Support Services.....Heather Heineken, Director
19D. Mt. Edgecumbe High School Suzzuk Huntington, Superintendent
19E. Attorney General..... Susan Sonneborn, Assistant Attorney General

5:20 PM

20. Commissioner’s Report Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner

5:50 PM

- 21. Consent Agenda.....James Fields, Chair
 - 21A. Approve minutes of the October 10, 2024 State Board of Education Meeting
 - 21B. Approve minutes of the December 05, 2024 State Board of Education Meeting
 - 21C. Approve minutes of the January 22, 2025 State Board of Education Meeting
 - 21D. Approve minutes of the February 25, 2025 State Board of Education Meeting

5:55 PM Board Comments

6:00 PM ADJOURN