

**NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
**COMMISSION ON INNOVATION AND EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION**  
**August 25, 2025**  
**10:00 AM**

Office	Address	Meeting Room
Southwest Career & Technical Academy	7050 W Shelbourne Ave. Las Vegas, NV 89133	Ballroom
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**AGENDA**

**1. Call to Order, Roll Call**

**2. Public Comment #1**

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**3. Welcome and Introductions of Members (Information and Discussion)**

- Dr. Steve Canavero, Interim Superintendent of Public Instruction, Nevada Department of Education

**4. Election of New Chair and Vice Chair (Information, Discussion, and Possible Action)**

- Dr. Steve Canavero, Interim Superintendent of Public Instruction, Nevada Department of Education

**5. Where We Have Been, Where Are, Where We Are Going** (*Information, Discussion, and for Possible Action*)

Commissioners will review progress to date, affirm goals and milestones for the next two years, and consider the current policy landscape of the state.

- Janice Case, Regional Director, West, NCEE
- Nathan Driskell, Chief Policy Officer, NCEE
- Marilyn Dondero Loop, Nevada State Senator
- Dr. Steve Canavero, Interim State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Nevada Department of Education

**6. Revisiting Roadmap and Affirming Priority Policy Opportunities** (*Information, Discussion, and for Possible Action*)

Commissioners will review the strategic roadmap to date, affirm initiators and collaborators, and map a priority order.

- Janice Case, Regional Director, West, NCEE
- Nathan Driskell, Chief Policy Officer, NCEE

**7. Making Connections: Aligning to the Metrics Subcommittee Charge** (*Information. Discussion, and for Possible Action*)

In anticipation of Day Two, Commissioners will engage in a conversation designed to solidify connections across the 4 focus areas of the Roadmap and to affirm specific connections to the Subcommittee on Metrics.

- Dr. Steve Canavero, Interim Superintendent of Public Instruction Nevada Department of Education
- Janice Case, Regional Director, West, NCEE
- Nathan Driskell, Chief Policy Officer, NCEE

**8. Public Comment #2**

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**9. Adjournment**