

**NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
COMMISSION ON INNOVATION AND EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION**

February 26th, 2026

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Office	Address	Meeting Room
Southwest Career and Technical Academy	7050 W. Shelbourne Ave. Las Vegas, NV 89113	Ballroom
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AGENDA

1. Call to Order, Roll Call

2. Public Comment #1

Public comment will be taken during this agenda item regarding any item appearing on the agenda. No action may be taken on a matter discussed under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. A time limit of three minutes will be imposed by the Commission Chair in order to afford all members of the public who wish to comment with an opportunity to do so within the timeframe available to the Commission. Public comment #2 will provide an opportunity for public comment on any matter within the Commission's jurisdiction, control, or advisory power.

- 3. Approval of October 28, 2025, Commission Meeting Minutes; Approval of December 9th, 11th, and 12th, 2025 Subcommittee Meeting Minutes; and approval of January 29th, 2026, Subcommittee Meeting Minutes** (*Information, Discussion, and Possible Action*)
- 4. Welcome and Review of Process, Goals, and Agenda** (*Information and Discussion*)

Commissioners will review the Commission’s process, confirm meeting goals, revisit the arc of learning for 2025–26, and walk through the agenda for this meeting.

 - Joyce Woodhouse, CIEE Chair
 - Patty Charlton, CIEE Vice Chair
 - Dr. Victor Wakefield, State Superintendent of Public Instruction
 - Nathan Driskell, Chief Policy Officer, NCEE
 - Janice Case, Regional Director, West, NCEE
- 5. Shared Learning and Discussion: What does “Roadwork” really mean?** (*Information, Discussion, and Possible Action*).

Commission members will participate in a shared learning session to clarify what “roadwork” means in practice and how the Commission’s Roadmap translates into concrete implementation actions, roles, and timelines. The Commission will discuss implications for near-term work and consider possible actions to advance implementation.

 - NCEE Staff and Commission Leadership
- 6. Subcommittee Breakouts** (*Information, Discussion, and Possible Action*)

Commissioners will discuss stimulus material, surface field insights, and review prior planning related to the concrete offers defined by each subcommittee. Commissioners will then spend time translating that discussion into strategic short- and medium-term actions. Commissioners will align on how progress and dependencies will be surfaced to the full Commission.

 - Nathan Driskell, Chief Policy Officer, NCEE
 - Janice Case, Regional Director, West, NCEE
 - Sophia Roy, Sr. Policy Designer, NCEE
- 7. Plenary Share-Back** (*Information, Discussion, and Possible Action*)

Commissioners will share reports from each subcommittee and synthesize cross-cutting themes, noting owners and next steps for any surfaced decisions.

 - Commission Leadership and Subcommittee Leads
- 8. Reflections, Synthesis, and Next Steps**
 - Nathan Driskell, Chief Policy Officer, NCEE
 - Janice Case, Regional Director, West, NCEE

9. Public Comment #2

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10. Adjournment