## NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

#### COMMISSION ON SCHOOL FUNDING

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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 FLEXIBLE AGENDA** (For Possible Action)

**4. MINUTES APPROVAL** (Discussion and Possible Action)

The Committee will vote on whether to approve the December 2023 meeting minutes.

Guy Hobbs, Chair, Commission on School Funding

- 5. NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (NDE) Update (Information, Discussion, and Possible Action)
  The Commission will receive an update on the progress made by the Nevada Department of Education NDE since the last meeting.
  - Megan Peterson, Deputy Superintendent of Student Investment Division, NDE

#### **6. WORKING GROUP REPORTS** (*Information*)

The Working Group Leads will report on the progress made since the previous Commission meeting.

• Working Group Coordinators

#### 7. **DISCUSSION OF WORKING GROUP REPORTS** (Discussion and Possible Action)

The Commission will discuss and make possible recommendations based on information shared by the working groups.

• Guy Hobbs, Chair, Commission on School Funding

#### 8. PRESENTATIONS BY COMMUNITY EDUCATION PARTNERS (Information and Discussion)

The Commission will receive presentations from community education partners on their feedback and input regarding reporting and accountability measures identified in Senate Bill 98 and Assembly Bill 400.

• Guy Hobbs, Chair, Commission on School Funding

## 9. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION REGARDING THE DEFINITION OF AT-RISK STUDENTS UTILIZED BY THE PUPIL-CENTERED FUNDING PLAN (PCFP) MODEL (Information and Discussion)

The Commission will receive a presentation on the history and development of at-risk students within the context of the PCFP.

• Beau Bennett, State Education Funding Specialist, NDE

# 10. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION REGARDING THE EFFECTS ON SCHOOL DISTRICTS USING THE STATEWIDE BASE PER PUPIL FUNDING AMOUNT FOR ONLINE SCHOOL WHILE RECEIVING THE FY2020 BASELINE FUNDING AMOUNT (Information, Discussion, and Possible Action)

The Commission will receive a presentation regarding the possible effects of a district on the baseline funding receiving the statewide base for their online schools.

• James Kirkpatrick, State Education Funding Manager, NDE

### 11. DISCUSSION REGARDING THE USE OF ENGLISH LEARNER WEIGHTED FUNDING TO PROVIDE A DUAL LANGUAGE PROGRAM (Information and Discussion)

The Commission will receive an introduction on allowable uses of English Learner funds and whether those funds can be used to provide for a dual language program.

• Beau Bennett, State Education Funding Specialist, NDE

#### 12. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

#### 13. PUBLIC COMMENT #2

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#### 14. ADJOURNMENT