



NEVADA
Department of
Education

Strategic Framework for Legislative Engagement

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Legislative Subcommittee*

Establishing the Legislative Subcommittee



Define the scope of deliverables and outcomes for the Subcommittee by defining the problem being solved for and remaining focused on that content.

Problem: The Board seeks alignment, unity, relevance, and representation in the Nevada Policy Landscape

Solution: Establish a Framework for Alignment and Engagement

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6-Month Benchmark: Update and Establish the Board's Vision and Goals

1-Year Benchmark: Establish and Pilot an Alignment Rubric for the Board's Vision and Goals and Proposed 2027 Legislation

18-Month Benchmark: Align Board Presentations and Discussions with the Board's Vision and Goals

2-Year Benchmark: Engage with Interim Activities

3-Year Benchmark: Engage with the Legislature

Legislative Timelines – 2027



2027 Prep Completed

BDR Concepts Developed by Agency in November 2025

BDR Concepts Submitted by Agency to Governor's Office in March 2026

Budget Kickoff in March 2026

2027 Prep in Progress

BDR Concepts Submitted by Agency to LCB in August 2026

Agency Request Budget Submitted August 2026

BDR Concepts Submitted by Committees to LCB in October 2026

Board Benchmark #1

Update and Establish Board Vision and Goals by October 2026

2027 Legislative Session

Takes Place February 2027 – June 2027

Board Benchmark #2

Develop and Pilot Alignment Rubric in April 2027

Legislative Timelines – 2029



2029 Prep

BDR Concepts Developed by Agency in November 2027

BDR Concepts Submitted by Agency to Governor's Office in March 2028

Budget Kickoff in March 2028

Board Benchmark #3

Align Presentations and Discussions with Board Goals and Vision

2029 Prep

BDR Concepts Submitted by Agency to LCB in August 2028

Agency Request Budget Submitted August 2028

BDR Concepts Submitted by Committees to LCB in October 2028

Board Benchmark #4

Engage with Interim Activities

2029 Legislative Session

Takes Place February 2029 – June 2029

Board Benchmark #5

Engage with the Legislature

Update and Establish Board Mission and Goals

- ***April 18:*** Review Silver State Governance Training and Board Evaluation
- ***June:*** Discuss Concepts for Goals and Values
- ***August:*** Design Structure for Goals and Values
- ***October:*** Formally Adopt Board Mission and Goals

Establish and Pilot an Alignment Rubric for the Board's Vision and Goals and Proposed 2027 Legislation

- ***December: Preliminary Rubric Categories for Alignment Discussed***
- ***February: Draft Rubric for Review***
- ***April: Rubric Finalized and Pilot Analysis Underway***

Align Board Presentations and Discussions with the Board's Vision and Goals

- ***June:*** Align Board Activities to Goals and Mission
- ***August:*** Pilot Goal and Mission Alignment during Board Meetings
- ***October:*** Set Board Agenda with Goal and Mission Alignment as Strategy
- ***December:*** Use December Meeting to Solicit Policy Recommendations