LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION STUDY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

September 22-24, 2014
New Mexico Junior College
Bob Moran Multipurpose Room
1 Thunderbird Circle
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240
575-392-5018

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2014

9:00 CALL TO ORDER
  Approval of Agenda
  Welcome and Introductions
Senator John M. Sapien, Chair

Dr. Steve McCleery, President
  New Mexico Junior College (NMJC)
Sam Cobb, Mayor, City of Hobbs
Greg Fulfer, Commissioner, Lea County
TJ Parks, Superintendent
  Hobbs Municipal Schools

9:30 1. OVERVIEW OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND INITIATIVES
  a. NMJC
     Dr. McCleery
     Mr. Parks
  b. Richie Enrichment Science Workshop
     Clint Williamson, Vice President, Communications
       URENCO, USA

10:30 2. TEEN PREGNANCY
  a. New Mexico Graduation, Reality, and Dual-role Skills (GRADS) Program
     Paula Methola, GRADS CCC Director
     Boys & Girls Club of Hobbs
     Sally Kosnick, Executive Director, GRADS
     Jeanne Johnston, Co-Director, GRADS
  b. MyPower, Inc.
     Elaine Sena, Executive Director, MyPower, Inc.
     Phoebe Spencer, Board President, MyPower, Inc.
  c. Humphrey House
     Mickie Holland, Chief Clinical Officer
     Guidance Center of Lea County, Inc.
     Humphrey House
11:30  3. WEEKEND HUNGER INITIATIVE BACKPACK PROGRAM
       Ian Kleats, LESC Staff
       Clay Martin, Executive Director
       Weekend Hunger Initiative (WHI)-Hobbs
       Leslie Pfalzgraf, Community Liaison
       WHI-Hobbs

LUNCH

1:00  4. PARTNERSHIP FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF READINESS FOR
      COLLEGE AND CAREERS (PARCC) – SAMPLE TEST
      Mr. Parks

2:00  5. GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS UPDATE
      Travis Dulany, LESC Staff
      Dr. Crit Caton, Superintendent
      Artesia Public Schools
      Mr. Parks

3:00  6. GENERAL EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (GED) UPDATE
      Mr. Dulany
      Bertha Jasso, Manager, Adult Basic Education
      New Mexico State University-Carlsbad
      Dianne Marquez, Dean, Arts and Humanities
      NMJC

SUPERINTENDENTS AND COMMUNITY INPUT
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2014

9:00  CALL TO ORDER  Senator John M. Sapien, Chair

9:15  7.  ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
        David Martin, Cabinet Secretary  
        Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

9:45  8.  OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION (OXY)/NAVAJO REFINERY  
        Barbara Bergersen, Operations Manager  
        Development and Utilities, OXY  
        Mike McKee, Vice President and Refinery Manager, Navajo Refinery

10:30  9.  NEW MEXICO MATHEMATICS, ENGINEERING, SCIENCE ACHIEVEMENT (MESA) -- ARTESIA PROJECT  
        Toney Begay, Executive Director, MESA

11:15  10.  NMJC ENERGY PROGRAM  
        Dr. Robert Rhodes, Vice President  
        Training and Outreach, NMJC

LUNCH

1:00  11.  EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION: INVESTING IN EARLY EDUCATION  
        UNM, NMSU and ENMU Staff (requested)

2:30  12.  TEACHER AND PRINCIPAL EVALUATION PANEL  
        a.  Artesia Public Schools (APS)  
            Dr. Crit Caton, Superintendent, APS
        b.  Carlsbad Municipal Schools (CMS)  
            Gary Perkowski, Superintendent, CMS
        c.  Floyd Municipal Schools (FMS)  
            Paul M. Benoit, Superintendent, FMS
        d.  Hobbs Municipal Schools (HMS)  
            TJ Parks, Superintendent, HMS
        e.  Lovington Municipal Schools (LMS)  
            Darin Manes, Superintendent, LMS
        f.  Melrose Municipal Schools (MMS)  
            Jamie Widner, Superintendent, MMS
        g.  Roswell Independent Schools (RIS)  
            Tom Burris, Superintendent, RIS
        h.  Texico Municipal Schools (TMS)  
            Miles Mitchell, Superintendent, TMS

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2014

9:00 CALL TO ORDER
Senator John M. Sapien, Chair

9:05 13. URENCO PLANT TOUR
Mr. Williamson

11:00 14. DIRECTOR’S REPORT
Frances Ramírez-Maestas
a. Approval of August 2014 LESC Minutes
b. Informational Items
   • Administrative Rulemaking
   • Breakfast After the Bell Update
c. Correspondence
   • Southwest Learning Center Charter Schools and Southwest Aeronautics,
     Mathematics and Science Academy

OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

SUPERINTENDENTS AND COMMUNITY INPUT

LESC CHARTER SCHOOLS SUBCOMMITTEE TO MEET AFTER REGULAR
LESC MEETING ADJOURNS