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### **State Board to Meet June 6 & 7 in Anchorage**

JUNEAU -- The State Board of Education and Early Development will hold its regular quarterly meeting on June 7 starting at 9:00 a.m. at the Anchorage School District's Education Center at 5530 East Northern Lights Boulevard. In addition, the board will hold a retreat on June 6 starting at 10:00 a.m. at the same location. The board's meeting packet is available [online](#).

The board will take public comment at the quarterly meeting on June 7 on agenda and non-agenda items starting at approximately 9:10 a.m. Oral comment is limited to three minutes per person and five minutes per group. Public comment can be made for the meeting, during this time only, by calling 1-844-586-9085 if you are outside of Juneau or Anchorage. For participation from Juneau, call 586-9085. For participation from Anchorage, call 563-9085.

The quarterly meeting will be live-streamed through the [Legislative Information Office](#) (LIO) beginning at 9:00 a.m. (audio only) on June 7. Click on the meeting name to listen to the proceedings. When public comment is over, the meeting will continue to be broadcast at the above website. Oral comment can also be made by visiting your local LIO. The following LIOs will participate: Anchorage, Bethel, Fairbanks, Juneau, Kenai, Ketchikan, Kodiak, Mat-Su, Nome, Seward, and Sitka. For more information about LIOs, call 907-465-4648.

The purpose of the quarterly meeting is to hold a work session and a business meeting. Topics at the work session include a legislative and budget update, a review of two charter school renewals (Watershed Charter School and Ayaprun Charter School), appointments to the Mt. Edgecumbe High School Advisory Board, adoption of regulations regarding K-12 science standards, computer science standards, digital literacy standards, and AdvancED standards, board committee updates, and a discussion on the National Assessment of Educational Progress.

Topics at the business meeting include adoption of the regulations listed above, approval of the two charter school renewals listed above, selection of officers, subcommittee appointments, selection of 2019-2020 meeting dates, standing reports on the department's divisions, the commissioner's report, approval of appointments to the Mt. Edgecumbe High School Advisory Board, approval of the March 29, 2019 and April 24, 2019 meeting minutes, and an executive session to conduct the commissioner's annual evaluation.

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