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#### State Board of Education to Hold Quarterly Meeting June 8-9 in Anchorage

JUNEAU -- The Alaska State Board of Education and Early Development will hold a regular quarterly meeting and a professional development workshop on June 8-9, 2022, at the Robert B. Atwood Building at 550 West 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Anchorage. The workshop will begin at 8:30 a.m. on June 8, 2022, and the quarterly board meeting will begin on June 8, 2022, at 2:15 p.m.

Public participation for the meeting will be in person and through the Legislative Information Office (LIO). The board will take public comment on agenda and non-agenda items starting at approximately 8:45 a.m. on Wednesday, June 8, 2022. Oral comment is limited to three minutes per person and five minutes per group. Public comment may be made for this meeting during this time only, in person or by calling 1-844-586-9085 if you are outside of Juneau or Anchorage. For participation from Anchorage, call 907-563-9085 and from Juneau, call 907-586-9085.

This meeting will be live-streamed at <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T0XD5wWb8Bc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T0XD5wWb8Bc</a> (audio only) beginning at 8:30 a.m. on June 8, 2022. When public comment is over, the meeting will continue to be broadcast at the above website.

The purpose of the meeting is to hold a professional development workshop, work session, and business meeting. Topics at the workshop include discussing board resolutions, State Board committee meetings, and committee reports and discussion. Topics at the work session include legislative and budget update, charter school renewal and approval, regulations for adoption in the areas of facilities publications, alternate assessment scores, and seal of biliteracy, and discuss the Mt. Edgecumbe High School (MEHS) school advisory board appointments.

Topics at the business meeting include discussions regarding the approval of the FY2023 budget, charter school renewal and approval, regulations for adoption, and approvals of the MEHS school advisory board appointments, Deputy Commissioners, MEHS Superintendent, and MEHS Principal.

The board's meeting packet is available online by clicking on the meeting date.

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