

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Board of Education Agenda

Date of Meeting: February 28, 2007

Time: As Shown

Location: Jefferson Conference Room, 22nd Floor, James Monroe Building
101 North 14th Street, Richmond, Virginia



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9:00 a.m. FULL BOARD CONVENES

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes of the January 10, 2007, Meeting of the Board

Resolutions/Recognitions

- Resolution of Recognition presented to Virginia's 2006 Milken Family Foundation National Educator Awards Recipients: Ms. Daphne R. Keiser, principal of Burnley-Moran Elementary School in Charlottesville and Mr. Joshua Cole, fifth-grade teacher at Chalkley Elementary School in Chesterfield County

Public Comment

Reports from Board of Education Committee Chairpersons

Action/Discussion on Board of Education Regulations

- A. [First Review of the Notice of Intended Regulatory Action \(NOIRA\) to Amend the *Regulations Establishing Standards for Accrediting Public Schools in Virginia* \(8VAC 20-131-10 et seq.\)](#)

Action/Discussion Items

- B. [Report from the Board of Education's 2006-2007 Student Advisory Committee](#)
- C. [Resolution Releasing Richmond City Public Schools from the Division-Level Review Process](#)
- D. [First Review of a Revision to the Terminology Used in the Criteria and Disclaimers to Identify and Select Instructional Interventions in *Regulations Establishing Standards for Accrediting Public Schools in Virginia*](#)

Action/Discussion Items (continued)

- E. First Review of a Proposed Addition to the Board-Approved List of Instructional Interventions that Satisfy Provisions in *Regulations Establishing Standards for Accrediting Public Schools in Virginia*.
- F. First Review of Proposed Additions to the Board-Approved List of Supplemental Educational Services Providers Under the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*
- G. First Review of Standards of Learning for a New, Optional High School Mathematics Course
- H. First Review of Virginia's 2007-2008 Transitional State Plan for the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006
- I. First Review of a High Objective Uniform State Standard of Evaluation (HOUSSE) for Visiting International Faculty (VIF) Cultural Exchange Teachers
- J. Final Review of Proposed Revised Foreign Language Standards of Learning
- K. Final Review of Recommended Cut Scores for the SAT I Writing Test When Used as a Substitute for the Standards of Learning End of Course English: Writing Test
- L. First Review of Revised Board of Education Meeting Dates for March-November 2007
- M. First Review by the Virginia Board of Education to Ratify and Appoint the School Division Superintendent in Franklin City Schools Pursuant to Sections 22.1- 60 and 22.1-61 of the *Code of Virginia*

REPORTS

- N. Report on Virginia's Foundation Blocks for Early Learning: Standards for Physical and Motor Development and for Personal and Social Development (Preschool Standards)
- O. Report on the Implementation of the Supplemental Educational Services Requirement Under the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*

DISCUSSION OF CURRENT ISSUES - by Board of Education Members and Superintendent of Public Instruction

ADJOURNMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Education members will meet for dinner at 6:30 p.m. at the Crowne Plaza Hotel on Tuesday, February 27, 2007. Items for the Board agenda may be discussed informally at that dinner. No votes will be taken, and it is open to the public. The Board president reserves the right to change the times listed on this agenda depending upon the time constraints during the meeting.

GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

1. The Board of Education is pleased to receive public comment at each of its regular monthly meetings. In order to allow the Board sufficient time for its other business, the total time allotted to public comment will generally be limited to thirty (30) minutes. Individuals seeking to speak to the Board will be allotted three (3) minutes each.
2. Those wishing to speak to the Board should contact Dr. Margaret Roberts, Executive Assistant for Board Relations at (804) 225-2924. Normally, speakers will be scheduled in the order that their requests are received until the entire allotted time slot has been used. Where issues involving a variety of views are presented before the Board, the Board reserves the right to allocate the time available so as to insure that the Board hears from different points of view on any particular issue.
3. Speakers are urged to contact Dr. Roberts in advance of the meeting. Because of time limitations, those persons who have not previously registered to speak prior to the day of the Board meeting cannot be assured that they will have an opportunity to appear before the Board.
4. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers are urged to provide multiple written copies of their comments or other material amplifying their views.