

Governor's Council on Educator Effectiveness
Thursday, February 16, 2012 • 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
University of Michigan School of Education
Dean's Conference Room • 610 East University Avenue, Room 1211 • Ann Arbor

AGENDA

9:00 – 9:10 Opening to meeting and updates

9:10 – 9:20 Timeline for deliverables and resulting political tensions

Discuss concerns we have heard from some legislators regarding a revised timeline that allows us to complete our work by the end of the calendar year. Consider strategies for addressing concerns.

9:20 – 9:45 Communication strategies and guidelines

Review and comment on vision statement drafted by Jenny and Dave.
Discuss key talking points, protocols for media requests and other official communications on behalf of the council, meetings with key stakeholder groups, etc.

To review in advance (in Dropbox): Draft vision statement

9:45 – 10:00 Timing of statewide student tests

Discuss the benefits and drawbacks of administering statewide tests (e.g., MEAP, ACT, MME) in the spring

10:00 – 11:15 Work in small groups

11:15 – 12:00 Presentation by David Hecker, president, Education Alliance of Michigan

Next meeting Tuesday, February 21, 2012

2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

University of Michigan School of Education (610 E. University Avenue, Ann Arbor)

Note: Dan McCaffrey, PNC Chair in Policy Analysis and senior statistician at RAND Corporation, will be presenting the Frank B. Womer Lecture at the School of Education from 12:00 to 1:30 p.m. Governor's Council members are invited to attend.