

Basic Education Finance Joint Task Force

A G E N D A

January 11, 2008

9:00 A.M.

Columbia Room
Legislative Building
Capitol Campus, Olympia

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Dan Grimm, Chair
Glenn Anderson
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Terry Bergeson
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Superintendent,
Davenport School District
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- I. Call to Order, *Dan Grimm, Chair*
 - II. History and policies related to the WASL and education reform
Stephen Nielsen, Assistant Superintendent, Financial Services, Puget Sound ESD, and former executive director of the Governors' Council on Education Reform and Funding
Brian Benzel, Vice President for Finance and Administration, Whitworth University, former Superintendent of Spokane School District, and former member of the Washington State Commission on Student Learning
 - III. Education reform: The implications for school finance.
Terry Bergeson, Superintendent of Public Instruction
 - IV. WASL Test Results: Which students are meeting standard?
Annie Pennucci, Washington State Institute for Public Policy
- Lunch break
- V. Funding that puts students first.
Steve Mullin, President, Washington Roundtable
 - VI. Public hearing
 - VII. Adjournment

Next meeting of the
Basic Education Finance Joint Task Force:
March 24, 2008