

Washington State

Joint Task Force on Education Funding

Education Funding, Jt. Task Force Full Committee Wednesday

November 7, 2012 9:00 a.m. Federal Way City Council Chambers 33325 8th Ave S Federal Way, WA 98003

Agenda:

- 1. Opening remarks.
- 2. Review committee assignment.
- 3. Follow-up on prior agenda items.
 - a. Difference between state allocation for salaries and total salary costs.
 - b. Recap spending decisions from October 12th meeting, reaffirm what was decided, and come to near-final positions regarding the total cost of the recommendation.
 - c. Other follow-up.
- 4. Options for funding additional K-12 spending.
 - a. Budget reductions, including holding non K-12 spending to zero growth.
 - b. General revenue options including increasing rates of major sources, repealing tax exemptions, adding new tax sources.
 - c. Overview of levies and levy equalization.
 - d. Summary of two prior local/state levy proposals (Sen. Zarelli, Rep. Hunter).
- 5. General discussion & work plan for next meeting.
- 6. Summarize committee progress.
- 7. Public testimony.