



THE 343RD MEETING OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 14-15, 2018

AGENDA

Meeting Location: 333 Market St., Harrisburg, PA 17126

Wednesday, March 14:

11:00 a.m.

I. COMMITTEE MEETING

Special Committee on ESSA
Implementation Oversight

Karen Farmer White, Chair

Presentation:

- Overview and Report-out on Status of
Pennsylvania's State ESSA Plan

Beth Olanoff, PDE

Public Comment

Action Items: NONE

Adjournment

1:00 p.m.

II. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Honors Suite, 1st Floor

Call to Order

Karen Farmer White, Chair

1:05 p.m.

III. COUNCIL OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Honors Suite, 1st Floor

Opening Comments

Jonathan Peri, Chairman

Approval of the Minutes: **January 10, 2018 meeting**

Report of the Deputy Secretary for Postsecondary
and Higher Education

Noe Ortega

Public Comment

Action Items: NONE

Announcements

Adjournment

Followed immediately by

IV. COUNCIL OF BASIC EDUCATION

Honors Suite, 1st Floor

Opening Comments

James Barker, Chairman

Approval of the Minutes: **November 8, 2017 meeting &
January 10, 2018 meeting**

Report of the Deputy Secretary for
Elementary and Secondary Education

Matthew Stem

Public Comment

Action Items: NONE

Announcements

Adjournment

Thursday, March 15:

8:30 a.m.

**V. STATE BOARD FOR
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**

Honors Suite, 1st Floor

Call to Order

Karen Farmer White, Chair

Opening Comments

Approval of the Minutes: **January 11, 2018 meeting**

Report of the Director of the Bureau of Career and
Technical Education

Dr. Lee Burket

Public Comment

Action Items: NONE

Announcements

Adjournment

Followed immediately by

VI. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Honors Suite, 1st Floor

Call to Order

Karen Farmer White, Chair

Opening Comments

Approval of the Minutes: **January 11, 2018 meeting**

Report of the Secretary of Education

Pedro Rivera

Report of the Professional Standards and
Practices Commission

Dr. George Drake

Executive Session:

- Briefing by Counsel on the William Penn
School District Litigation

Public Comment

Action Item:

- Resolution Honoring James Grandon

Announcements

Followed immediately by

**VII. TEACHER AND SCHOOL LEADER
EFFECTIVENESS COMMITTEE**

Honors Suite, 1st Floor

Call to Order

Sandra Glenn, Chair

Presentation:

- Alternative Certification Residency Programs

Kerry Helm, PDE

Public Comment

Action Items: NONE

Adjournment