

Revised: August 13, 2024

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
NINETY-FOURTH MEETING
of the
PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL OUTLAY OVERSIGHT TASK FORCE**

**August 14, 2024
State Capitol, Room 307
Santa Fe**

Wednesday, August 14

- 10:00 a.m. **Call to Order and Introductions**
—Senator William P. Soules, Chair
—Representative G. Andrés Romero, Vice Chair
- 10:15 a.m. (1) **[The History and Legal Framework of New Mexico's Public Education System](#)**
—Simon D. Suzuki, Staff Attorney, Legislative Council Service
- 11:00 a.m. (2) **[Public School Financing: Issues and Priorities](#)**
—Joe Guillen, Executive Director, New Mexico School Boards Association
—Stan Rounds, Executive Director, New Mexico Coalition of Educational Leaders
- 12:30 p.m. **Lunch**
- 1:30 p.m. (3) **[RBC Capital Markets, LLC \(RBC\): How School Districts Secure Capital](#)**
—Erik Harrigan, Managing Director, RBC
—Kaeley Weimerskirch, Investment Banker, RBC
- 2:30 p.m. (4) **[New Mexico Finance Authority \(NMFA\): Assisting School Districts and Charter Schools](#)**
—Lawrence "Chip" Pierce, Chief Financial Strategist, NMFA
—Ryan Marie Decker, Policy and Capital Strategist, NMFA
- 3:30 p.m. **Public Comment***
- 4:00 p.m. **Adjourn**

*Members of the public may provide virtual public comments during the public comment period of the meeting by following the instructions under the "Virtual Public Comment" section of the Public School Capital Outlay Oversight Task Force [web page](#).