

## AGENDA

**Legislative Education Study Committee  
Eddy Training Center  
700 W. Stevens St.  
Carlsbad, NM 88220  
October 11-13**

### **Wednesday, October 11**

- 9:00 (1) Call to Order, Introductions, and Approval of October Agenda and September Minutes.
- 9:05 (2) Community Welcome. **Gerry Washburn, Ed.D.**, Superintendent, Carlsbad Municipal School District (CMSD)
- 10:15 (3) Family Income Index Report. **Daniel Estupiñan**, Senior Fiscal Analyst II, LESC; **Simone Vann**, At-Risk Intervention Response Director, Public Education Department (PED); **Greg Frostad**, Assistant Secretary of Policy, Research, and Technology, PED
- 11:15 (4) Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) – Project Search. **Natasha Davalos**, Policy Analyst I, LESC; **Charlene Chavez**, Statewide Transition Coordinator, DVR; **Casey Stone-Romero**, Director, DVR
- 12:15 Lunch
- 1:00 (5) Secondary Schools That Work: Redesigning for Student Success. **Jessica Hathaway**, Senior Policy Analyst II, LESC; **Eric Spencer**, Assistant Superintendent for Instruction, CMSD; **Roy de la Garza**, Principal, Carlsbad High School, CMSD
- 2:15 (6) Tour: Carlsbad High School Career Academics. **CMSD Staff and Students**
- 3:45 Recess

### **Thursday, October 12**

- 9:00 (7) Special Education: Synthesis of Listening Sessions. **Marit Andrews**, Senior Policy Analyst II, LESC
- 10:00 (8) LESC Study of the Transportation Distribution. **Tim Bedeaux**, Senior Policy Analyst II, LESC; **Amanda Lupardus**, Transportation Director, PED; **Greg Frostad**, Assistant Secretary of Policy, Research, and Technology, PED
- 11:30 (9) The New Mexico Canvas Learning Management System. **Annie Armatage**, Senior Policy Analyst II, LESC; **Arsenio Romero, Ph.D.**, Secretary, PED; **Kim King**, Learning Management System Director, PED; **Eric Spencer**, Regional Director K12, Instructure; **Matt Carlson**, Regional Vice President – West and Canada, Instructure; **Christopher Downs**, Executive Director of Government Affairs, Instructure
- 12:30 Lunch

**Thursday, October 12 - Continued.**

- 1:30 (10) [Preliminary FY25 Budget Considerations](#). **Daniel Estupiñan**, Senior Fiscal Analyst II, LESC
- 3:00 (11) [Education Leaders Panel](#). **Gerry Washburn, Ed.D.**, Superintendent, CMSD; **Lee White**, Superintendent, Loving Municipal Schools; **Elisa Begueria**, Superintendent, Lake Arthur Municipal Schools; **Darian Jaramillo**, Superintendent, Artesia Public Schools
- 4:00 Public Comment
- 4:30 (12) [Director's Report](#).  
**Informational Items**
- October Newsletter
- 5:00 Recess

**Friday, October 13**

- 8:15 (13) [Cottonwood Elementary - Tour](#). **Cal Ripken STEM Labs; Carlsbad Schools**
- 10:00 (14) [STEM + Education Research Institute – New Mexico State University \(NMSU\)](#). **Luis Cifuentes, Ph.D.**, Vice President for Research, Creativity, and Economic Development, NMSU; **Michele Shuster, Ph.D.**, Associate Dean, College of Arts & Sciences, NMSU; **Patricia Sullivan, Ph.D.**, Associate Dean, College of Engineering, NMSU; **Wanda Bulger-Tamez, Ph.D.**, NMSU-STEM Director, NMSU; **Mariana Alvidrez**, Assistant Professor, NMSU STEM+ Research Education Institute
- 11:15 (15) [Processes Related to Below the Line Funding](#). **John Sena**, Deputy Director, LESC
- 12:30 Adjourn