

AGENCY OF EDUCATION Task Force for Universal Afterschool Access March 8, 2021, 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

AGENDA

Microsoft Teams Virtual Meeting

Call In: 1-802-552-8456

Conference ID: 793 793 344#

Per H.969 of 2020, Sec. B.1120.1, a <u>Task Force for Universal Afterschool Access</u> was created to consider and make recommendations on the framework for, the costs of, and related long-term funding sources for access to universal afterschool programs.

Members: Representative Kelly Pajala; Senator Perchlik; Jess DeCarolis, Director, Agency of Education; Geoffrey T. Pippenger, Senior Advisor to the Commissioner, Department for Children and Families; Chelsea Myers, Associate Executive Director, Vermont Superintendents Association; Sandra Cameron, Director of Public Policy, Vermont School Boards Association; Erin Maguire (Essex-Westford School District), Vermont Council of Special Education Administrators; Matthew DeBlois, (Vergennes Union Elementary School), Vermont Principals' Association; Mark Tashjian, Chair, Council of Independent Schools; Retta Dunlap, President, VT Home Education Network; David Woolpy, Executive Director, Vermont Boys and Girls Clubs of Rutland County; Heather Moore (Franklin County), Afterschool Program Representative; Carrie McDonnell (Windsor/Orange County), Afterschool Program Representative; Christy Gallese (Chittenden County), Afterschool Program Representative; and Holly Morehouse, Executive Director, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

12:00 p.m. – 12:10 p.m.: Call to Order, Roll Call/Review of Agenda

12:10 p.m. – 12:15 p.m.: Approve Minutes from February 10, 2021 Meeting

12:15 p.m. – 12:25 p.m.: Opportunity for Public to be Heard

12:25 p.m. – 1:10 p.m.: **Universal Access and Equity**

-How to Support Students with Disabilities

1:10 p.m. - 1:20 p.m.: **Cannabis Money and Other Funding Streams**

Report with Findings and Recommendations to the Governor and the 1:20 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.:

House and Senate Committees on Education (due on or before 4/15/2021)

1:50 p.m. - 1:55 p.m.: Next Steps, Preview of Final Meeting

Adjourn 2:00 p.m.: