



Thursday, October 29, 2015
Alaska Museum of Science and Nature
 201 N. Bragaw, Mt. View
 6-8 p.m.

Agenda

1. Welcome

- **Monica Garcia-Itchoak**, Executive Director, Alaska Museum of Science and Nature

2. Public Comment:

Francine Harbour, Executive Director, National Alliance on Mental Health (NAMI)

3. Check-in

4. Special Presentations:

Budget Input/Timelines/Listening Sessions *Ed Graff, Superintendent*

ASD Student Nutrition *Jim Anderson, Director*

Out of School Suspension Presentation *SEAC Subcommittee*

5. Committee Work Session:

Educational Equity Workshop *Kendra Hughes, Facilitator*

6. Announcements & Handouts:

- A. ASD Budget Development Process & Timeline (See back of Agenda)
- B. Superintendent's Letter to the Community
- C. MECAC Open At-Large Seats (Application Period: November 16-January 12)
- D. Access 2.0 for ELL
- E. 2015-16 Attendance Recognition
- F. "Don't let your grades go down the drain"
- G. Diversity Community Health Awareness Day, Saturday, November 7, 2015, 12-4 PM, Northway Mall
- H. 2016 MECAC Meeting Dates:

Date	Location	Time
January 28, 2016	Alaska Native Heritage Center	6-8 PM
March 24, 2016	TBD	6-8 PM
May 26, 2016	TBD	6-8 PM

7. Questions/Concerns & Ideas: Submit using the green half-sheet

8. Parking Lot Items:

- MECAC Comment Box

9. Adjourn

Next Meeting:
 January 28, 2015
 6-8 PM
 Alaska Native Heritage Center



ASD Budget Development Process & Timeline

NOVEMBER – DECEMBER

- Thought Exchange online community engagement
- Community Discussions (parents, students, staff, community, PTA groups)
 1. Monday, Nov. 23rd Hanshew Middle School 6-8 p.m.
 2. Monday, Nov. 30th Gruening Middle School 6-8 p.m.
 3. Tuesday, Dec. 1st Wendler Middle School 6-8 p.m.
 4. Wednesday, Dec. 9th Mears Middle School 6-8 p.m.

DECEMBER

- Board provides strategic guidance on pro forma financial outlook & budget (Dec. 14 regular meeting)

DECEMBER-JANUARY

- Budget discussions with key stakeholders

JANUARY

- Administration presents budget recommendation to board (Jan. 21 regular meeting)

FEBRUARY

- Two board meetings for public hearing (Feb. 1 and 16)
- Board votes on proposed budget

MARCH

Budget submitted to Anchorage Assembly