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MEMORANDUM NO. 2016-045

TO: School District Superintendents

Special Education Directors

FROM: Brent Bacon, Chief Academic Officer

DATE: March 21, 2016

SUBJECT: Wyoming Advisory Panel for Students with Disabilities

PUBLIC MEETINGS OF THE WAPSD TO HELD APRIL 4-5

The Wyoming Advisory Panel for Students with Disabilities (WAPSD) will hold a public meeting at Casper College April 4-5, 2016. WAPSD provides policy guidance with respect to special education and related services for children with disabilities.

Date	Time	Location
April 4, 2016	1:00p.m. – 5:00p.m.	Strausner Hall room 207
April 5, 2016	9:00a.m. – 12:00p.m.	125 College Drive Casper, WY 82601

Those wishing to provide public comment regarding the education of children with disabilities in Wyoming are encouraged to attend and make their comment any time between 11:45 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. on April 5, 2016. Individuals unable to attend the meeting, in person, may call into the meeting using the number 1-877-278-2734 with a Pass Code of 644006. Public comments may be verbal or written. The limit for verbal comments is no more than five minutes. Comments are to be factual and objective, and will be taken under advisement by the panel.

WAPSD exists under the authority of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (34 CFR §300.167) and serves as a forum through which current and potential services to individuals with disabilities are discussed. To learn more about the WAPSD, please go to: www.wpic.org or edu.wyoming.gov/in-the-classroom/special-programs/wapsd/.

For more information regarding the Panel or information about how to provide public comment, please contact the Panel's Administrative Assistant, Kodi Gerhold, at kodi.gerhold@wyo.gov or 307-777-3530.