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State Board and State Vocational Board to meet in Casper

Cheyenne – The Wyoming State Board of Education and State Board of Vocational Education will meet in Casper on November 19, 2008.

The board will discuss performance and content standards with education leaders and policy makers from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Then the regular business meeting of the board will convene at 1:30 p.m. Both meetings will be held in the Magnolia/Dahlia room of the Hilton Garden Inn located at 1150 North Poplar in Casper.

The State Board of Vocational Education will convene during the regular State Board meeting at 2:00 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. The vocational board will receive updates on the Perkins IV five-year state plan, the status of Career Technical Education demonstration projects and receive an update on the Job Corps project in Riverton. At 3:30 p.m. the State Board of Education's regular meeting will resume until 5:30 p.m.

During the regular business meeting, the board will discuss the revision of the charter school rules and regulations, consider a court ordered placement provider, receive updates on school improvement plans from two schools in the restructuring process of No Child Left Behind and consider the 2008 performance and content standards for Wyoming schools.

State board meetings are open to the public. If you have any questions contact Jennifer Duncan at (307) 777-6213 or jdunca@educ.state.wy.us. The agendas are available on the Wyoming Department of Education website at www.kl2.wy.us/sbe/agenda_min.asp

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