PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF TOPICS

This is subject to approval by the Task Force and coordination with experts' availability, here is a proposed schedule for future meetings. Assume 40 minutes per topic, plus breaks and administrative Task Force business.

Tuesday, November 29

(1:30-4:00) Task Force Admin

State Demographer Finance Overview

MDE Staff (NCLB Waiver, Achievement Data, Literacy Incentive Aid)

Tuesday, December 13

(12:30-3pm) Metro and Greater Minnesota Perspective

Former Task Force Findings and Recommendations

Metropolitan Council

Tuesday, December 20

(12:30-3pm) Legal Requirements for Integration

Social Benefits and Reduction of Achievement Gap through

Integration

Parental Involvement and the Achievement Gap

Tuesday, January 10

(9am-4pm) AM Early Literacy Programs and the Achievement Gap

Magnet Schools and the Achievement Gap

AVID-type Programs and the Achievement Gap

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Citizen Speakers

Make Ups

Emerging Ideas and Internal Discussion

Tuesday, January 17

(1:30-4:00) Review of Draft First Section of Report (whom we heard from)

Discussion and Morphing into Concrete Ideas

Tuesday, February 7

(1:30-4:00) Draft and Vote on Final Report