MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Study of School Financing Adequacy

(A.C.R. 10 of the 2005 Legislative Session)

Date and Time of Meeting: April 24, 2006

5:00 p.m.

Place of Meeting: Wooster High School – Theatre

1331 East Plumb Lane

Reno, Nevada

AGENDA

I. OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION OF CONSULTANT SELECTED TO ASSIST THE COMMITTEE WITH ITS STUDY

Chairman Smith

II. PRESENTATION BY CONSULTANT REGARDING THE PROCESS TO BE USED FOR THE STUDY OF SCHOOL FINANCING ADEQUACY

John Augenblick and Justin Silverstein - Augenblick, Palaich and Associates, Inc.

- III. PUBLIC FORUM INCLUDING PUBLIC COMMENT AND DISCUSSION WITH CONSULTANT REGARDING PUBLIC EDUCATION ISSUES IN NEVADA
- IV. ADJOURNMENT

Note: We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the Fiscal Analysis Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau, in writing, at the Legislative Building, 401 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada 89701-4747, or call the Fiscal Analysis Division at (775) 684-6821 as soon as possible.

Notice of this meeting was posted in the following Carson City, Nevada, locations: Blasdel Building, 209 East Musser Street; Capitol Press Corps, Basement, Capitol Building; City Hall, 201 North Carson Street; Legislative Building, 401 South Carson Street; and Nevada State Library, 100 Stewart Street. Notice of this meeting was faxed for posting to the following Las Vegas, Nevada, locations: Clark County Office, South Grand Central Parkway; and Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 East Washington Avenue. Notice of this meeting was faxed for posting to the following Reno, Nevada, location: Wooster High School, 1331 East Plumb Lane. Notice of this meeting was posted on the Internet through the Nevada Legislature's website at www.leg.state.nv.us.

The Legislative Committee to Study School Financing Adequacy invites you to a

PUBLIC FORUM

to provide your input and comments to the consultant that is conducting a study on

School Finance Issues and the Needs of Nevada's Schools

The forum will be held at:

Wooster High School – Theatre 1331 East Plumb Lane Reno, Nevada

Monday, April 24, 2006, from 5-7 p.m.

Please limit oral presentations to 3-5 minutes.

Please provide the consultant with a copy of any written materials used in your presentation.

For more information contact (775) 684-6821 Legislative Counsel Bureau, Fiscal Analysis Division The consultant for the Legislative Committee on School Financing Adequacy will hold a public forum to receive public input on school funding issues in Nevada. The meeting will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Monday, April 24, 2006, in the theatre at Wooster High School, 1331 East Plumb Lane, Reno, Nevada.

Following a brief description of the committee's purpose, the consultant, Augenblick, Palaich and Associates, Inc. (APA) of Denver, Colorado, will provide an overview of the work it is undertaking, which is designed to estimate the cost of an adequate education and to develop the parameters needed to build a school finance system.

The public is then invited to comment on the work of the committee, the work of the consultant, or on any school finance issue that might be of interest to policymakers in Nevada. The committee and its consultant are particularly interested in hearing about the needs of schools and school districts, the cost of providing education services in the state, the cost of meeting the state's accountability standards, and the financial pressures schools and school districts face that are beyond their control.

The committee urges participants to limit their oral presentations to 3-5 minutes and to provide the consultant with a copy of any written materials used in their presentations.