

# Alaska Legislative Task Force on Civics Education

## AGENDA

October 14, 2016

Anchorage LIO Conference Room 232  
1500 West Benson, Anchorage, AK 99501  
Teleconference: [1-844-586-9085](tel:18445869085)

9:30 A.M. Call to Order

9:35 A.M. Dr. Forrest Nabors, UAA Asst. Professor of Political Science, Task Force Member  
Citizenship Quiz Results from UAA American Government Course

9:45 A.M. Sean Dusek, Superintendent, Kenai Peninsula Borough School District  
President, AK Superintendents Association  
Kenai Peninsula Civics Education Activity

10:20 A.M. Melanie Hadaway, Executive Director of Teaching & Learning, FNSBSD  
Michelle Daml, Elementary Curriculum Coordinator  
Fairbanks Civics Education Activity

10:55 A.M. Beckie Murphy, Curriculum Coordinator, Mat-Su Borough School District  
Amy Spargo, Executive Director of Instruction, Mat-Su Borough School District  
Mat-Su Civics Education Activity

11:30 A.M. Dr. Mark Miller, Superintendent, City & Borough of Juneau School District  
Juneau Civics Education Activity

12:00 P.M. Lunch Break

1:30 P.M. David Block, Retired / Part-Time Theatre & Social Studies Teacher, West High School  
Q&A in Civics Teaching, Training, and Program Opportunities

2:05 P.M. Victoria Otte, Retired Social Studies Teacher, Gruening Middle School  
Q&A in Civics Teaching, Training, and Program Opportunities

2:40 P.M. Anne Brenner Armstrong, Asst. Professor of Secondary Education, UAF School of Educ.  
State Coordinator, Project Citizen  
“Project Citizen Students Tackle Public Policy: A Transformative Educ. Experience”

3:10 P.M. Recess

3:25 P.M. Lem Wheeles, Government Teacher, Student Gov’t Advisor, Dimond High School  
Q&A in Civics Teaching, Training, and Program Opportunities

4:00 P.M. Emma Potter, Student Representative, Anchorage School Board, Task Force Member  
Report from the Fall Conference of the AK Association of Student Governments  
Testimony from Student Leaders

4:30 P.M. Adjourn