

Assessment and Accountability Working Group--DRAFT

July 31, 2012 9:30 am to 12:00 (noon)

MDE Conference Center A Rooms 13 & 14

Agenda

9:30 a.m.	Welcome & Introductions Commissioner Brenda Cassellius • Introduction of Co-Chairs
9:40	Background and Issues: The GRAD Exam Jennifer Dugan, Assessment Director

10:15 Minnesota's Standards and Graduation Requirements

Beth Aune, Director of Academic Standards

- Academic standards, development and tie to testing
- State & Local Graduation Requirements in Law
- 10:45 Break
- 11:00 The ACCESS Report: What does it tell us?
 - Commissioner Cassellius
 - Carlos Mariani
 - Jim Bartholomew
- 11:15 Committee Discuss: The GRAD
 - What needs to change and why?
 - What are options?
- 11:55 Housekeeping, Mileage, Calendar
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