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## **AGENDA**

## **School Finance Inequities Study Committee**

Wednesday, December 2, 2015 10:00 AM **Room 116, Iowa State Capitol** 

## **MEMBERS**

Senator Brian Schoenjahn, Co-chairperson Senator Tod R. Bowman

Senator Herman C. Quirmbach

Senator Amy Sinclair Senator Roby Smith

Representative Ron Jorgensen, Co-chairperson

Representative Cecil Dolecheck Representative Ross Paustian Representative Patti Ruff Representative Cindy Winckler

10:00 a.m. Call to Order

> **Procedural Business** Adoption of Rules Election of Cochairpersons

Opening Remarks 10:10 a.m.

10:15 a.m. **Transportation Cost** 

Inequities

Dr. Jeff Berger, Iowa Department of Education Shawn Snyder, Iowa Association of School

Boards

11:15 a.m. District Cost per Pupil

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Margaret Buckton, Urban Education Network

12:15 p.m. Lunch

1:30 p.m. **Property Tax Inequities** Shawn Snyder, Iowa Association of School

Margaret Buckton, Urban Education Network

2:30 p.m. At-risk and ELL Funding Challenges

Melissa Peterson, Iowa State Education Association Dr. Jeff Berger, Iowa Department of Education Tammy Wawro, Teacher, Cedar Rapids Community School District Chris Bern, Teacher, Des Moines Public Schools

3:30 p.m. Committee Discussion