



QUALITY EDUCATION COMMISSION

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2024

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

HYBRID: ZOOM AND IN PERSON AT ODE 251B

Commission Members: John Rexford (Chair), Tricia Mooney (Vice Chair), Whitney Swander, Reed Scott-Schwalbach, Cam Preus, Manuel Vazquez Cano, Dana Hepper, Tenneal Wetherell (Staff) Evan Fuller (Staff)

Meeting Scribe: Mariah Robillard

Meeting start: 9:21am

Introductions & Commissioner Updates

Chair John Rexford began the meeting and facilitated introductions with commissioners and staff.

ODE Updates

Tenneal Wetherell reported on updates with the Oregon Dept of Education, noting that next month there would be an update on the Accountability Report. Wetherell also shared that ODE has been focusing on school attendance, at-a-glance profiles, and student learning and success.

24-25 QEC Charter

Chair John Rexford asked for a motion to approve the changes to the 24-25 QEC Charter that were discussed at the October meeting. Whitney Swander motioned to approve. Reed Scott-Schwalbach seconded the motion. Chair Rexford requested opposition and with no opposition there was unanimous approval to adopt the [24-25 QEC Charter](#).

Chair Rexford requested that Mariah Robillard add the charter to the QEC webpage. The charter will be available [here](#) when it is updated.

Best Practices Series: Multilingual Learners Presentation

Manuel Vazquez Cano introduced guest speakers Alexa Pearson and Mary Martinez-Wenzl with the Office of Teaching, Learning, and Assessment at ODE to share a presentation on their work with Multilingual Learners.

[Here](#) is the link to the presentation slide deck on Multilingual Learners.

Below are resources that were shared during the presentation:

- [Research Brief: Supports for Multilingual Students Who Are Classified As English Learners](#)
- [Multilingual and Migrant Education](#)

Wrap up

Chair John Rexford shared that our next meeting in November would continue the Best Practices Series and include a presentation on Supporting Students with IEPs, Section 504 Plans, and TAG eligible. Chair Rexford adjourned the meeting at 11:00am.

NEXT MEETING: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2024

9:00 AM – 11:00 A.M (Hybrid: Zoom or In Person at ODE 251B)