The Washington State Board of Education

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Title:	SMALL AND LARGE GROUP RETREAT DISCUSSIONS – DISCUSSING OPERATIONAL AND POLICY GOALS FOR 2014.
As Related To:	 ☐ Goal One: Effective and accountable P-13 governance. ☐ Goal Two: Comprehensive statewide K-12 accountability. ☐ Goal Three: Closing achievement gap. ☐ Goal Four: Strategic oversight of the K-12 system. ☐ Goal Five: Career and college readiness for all students. ☐ Other
Relevant To Board Roles:	 ☑ Policy Leadership ☑ System Oversight ☑ Advocacy ☑ Communication ☑ Convening and Facilitating
Policy Considerations / Key Questions:	The Board will spend some time in small and large group settings discussing key policy and operational goals for the 2014 year.
Possible Board Action:	Review Adopt Approve Other
Materials Included in Packet:	 ☐ Memo ☐ Graphs / Graphics ☐ Third-Party Material ☐ PowerPoint
Synopsis:	 The Board will spend some time in small and large group settings discussing key policy and operational goals for the 2014 year. Specific topics for discussion include: Goals regarding Boardmanship and shared norms of operation. Policy & Legislative goals for the coming year (basic education waivers process, 24 credits, accountability framework, others). Communications & Stakeholder engagement goals for the year (liaison practices, Achievement Index roll-out, etc) Peter Scontrino, of Scontrino-Powell Associates, has been retained to help facilitate the discussions. Mr. Scontrino will be sending communications directly to Board members in the coming days, designed to help members prepare for Retreat discussions.