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## **BOARD BRIEFS**

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The following is a summary of items addressed by the State Board of Education, with web links to electronic versions of those items. A video archive of the meeting is available at: <http://www.mistreamnet.com/videtail.php?who=sbe030910n01>

### **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

#### **PUBLIC POLICY DISCUSSION REGARDING PROPOSALS FOR REVENUE RESTRUCTURING TO BETTER SUPPORT PUBLIC EDUCATION IN MICHIGAN**

This Board meeting provided an opportunity for a discussion with several individuals who each have a perspective on public education in Michigan.

- **John Bebow**, Executive Director, Center for Michigan  
[Click here for Mr. Bebow's comments.](#)
- **David Hecker**, President, American Federation of Teachers - Michigan  
[Click here for Mr. Hecker's comments.](#)
- **Iris Salters**, President, Michigan Education Association  
[Click here for Ms. Salters' comments.](#)
- **Consensus for Change Think Tank** (Mike Murray, Superintendent, Suttons Bay Area Schools)  
[Click here for the Consensus for Change handouts.](#)
- **Sabrina Keeley**, Chief Operating Officer, Business Leaders for Michigan  
[Click here for Ms. Keeley's PowerPoint presentation.](#)

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## REGULAR MEETING

### REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

The Superintendent provided the SBE with information on several grants that have been awarded by the MDE including:

- [2009-2010 Pre-College Engineering Program Grants – Continuation](#)
- [2010-2011 Team Nutrition Training Grant Mini-Grants – Initial](#)
- [2009-2010 The Emergency Food Assistance Program \(TEFAP\) – Initial](#)
- [2009-2010 Title I, Part C Migrant Education Program Identification and Recruitment Centers – Initial](#)
- [2009-2010 Section 41, Bilingual Education Grant – Initial and Continuation](#)
- [2009-2010 Title II, Part A\(3\) – Improving Teacher Quality – Initial](#)

### CONSENT AGENDA

As part of its Consent Agenda, the Board took action on the following:

- [Adoption of Resolution Regarding Michigan School Support Staff Week – April 19-23, 2010](#)
- [Adoption of Resolution Regarding Michigan School Nurse Day – May 5, 2010](#)
- [Adoption of Resolution Regarding Days of Remembrance in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust](#)

### FUTURE MEETING DATES

- [Tuesday, April 13, 2010 \(9:30 a.m.\)](#)
- Tuesday, May 11, 2010 (9:30 a.m.)
- Tuesday, May 18, 2010 (9:30 a.m. Retreat)
- Tuesday, June 15, 2010 (9:30 a.m.)

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