



## IASB Update for AEA Superintendent Meetings, Oct. 2018

### Review the Proposed Platform and Register Your Delegate

Please reserve time at your October or November board meetings to review the [proposed 2019 legislative platform](#), which will be voted on at Delegate Assembly on Nov. 14. If you haven't yet registered your board member delegate, please [do so by Oct. 12](#) to ensure that your delegate receives the Delegate Assembly mailing, which includes important information.

For questions, contact Stephanie Rousseau at [srousseau@ia-sb.org](mailto:srousseau@ia-sb.org) or (515) 247-7042.

### Try Our Tool of the Month—SCHED, the Convention Digital Program

With IASB's [73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention](#) just around the corner, it's time to start planning your day! Our digital program, [SCHED](#), is designed to make customizing your convention experience a breeze. Simply log in to view available workshops, sessions and special events, and create your itinerary today! The deadline for [early registration](#) is Oct. 28.

For questions, contact Lou Ann Gvist at [lgvist@ia-sb.org](mailto:lgvist@ia-sb.org) or (515) 247-7064.

### National Assessment Governing Board Seeks Board Nominees

The National Assessment Governing Board, the entity responsible for implementing the National Assessment of Educational Progress, is [seeking nominations for open positions](#)—business representative, Chief State School Officer, curriculum specialist, twelfth-grade teacher, local school superintendent, state school board member, and testing and measurement expert—by Oct. 31. Candidates can nominate themselves or be nominated by someone else. All nominations must include the nominee's personal statement, his or her resume or curriculum vitae, and at least one letter of support.

For questions, contact Phil Jeneary at [pjeneary@ia-sb.org](mailto:pjeneary@ia-sb.org) or (515) 247-7027.

### Learn the Latest in IASB's September BoardConnect

The [ninth issue of BoardConnect](#) features part two of the two-part story about Hamburg Schools and how they avoided district closure through project-based learning opportunities; an [interview with Kevin Honeycutt](#), Apple Integrationist and convention keynote speaker; several new IASB resources and #BoardTips; another FAQ answered from an IASB staff expert; and more.

If you didn't receive the BoardConnect email, please contact Tammy Votava at [tvotava@ia-sb.org](mailto:tvotava@ia-sb.org) or (515) 247-7040.

## Attend a Listening Post and Let Your Voice Be Heard

Area Education Agencies are hosting listening posts across Iowa on behalf of the [Children's System State Board \(Children's Board\)](#), established by Gov. Kim Reynolds in April. The focus of the listening posts is for Iowans to provide input on children's mental health services. The Children's Board will review the information as part of its charge to develop a strategic plan and create a statewide system to help provide healthcare for children in need. View the full schedule of listening posts [here](#) and share this information with families in your district.

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## Review the Fall *On the Agenda* Board Calendar

A board calendar is a simple tool that governance teams can use as a starting place to ensure efficient, effective board meetings and strengthen the decision making of the board. The fall issue is [available for download now](#). Expect a new issue of *On the Agenda* Dec. 1.

If you have a suggested agenda item, please contact Tammy Votava at [tvotava@ia-sb.org](mailto:tvotava@ia-sb.org) or (515) 247-7040.

## Calendar of Events

**Oct. 2–29:** [Navigating Tug of War: District Priorities vs. Day-to-Day Operations \(Fall regional workshops\)](#), 10 locations across the state

**Oct. 18:** [Employee Relations Conference](#), The Meadows Conference Center, Altoona

**Nov. 14:** [IASB Delegate Assembly & Annual Meeting](#), Iowa Events Center, Des Moines

**Nov. 14–16:** [73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention & Trade Show](#), Iowa Events Center, Des Moines

**Dec. 11–12:** [Iowa School Finance & Leadership Consortium \(ISFLC\)](#), The Meadows Conference Center, Altoona

For a complete listing, visit [www.ia-sb.org/schoolboardu](http://www.ia-sb.org/schoolboardu).