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MEMORANDUM

TO: Members, Utah State Board of Education

FROM: Emilie Wheeler
Board Communications Specialist

DATE: February 5, 2016

ACTION: Board Strategic Plan

Background:

The State Board of Education determined that in order to align policy, practices, and resources for improved student outcomes, it is imperative to have a strategic plan that clearly articulates vision for education stakeholders. The process of developing this plan began with a Board retreat/meeting where an overall vision was outlined. This was followed by a series of five strategic planning sessions where Board members, Utah State Office of Education staff and various education stakeholders were invited to provide feedback and suggestions into the development of the plan.

Key Points:

Staff redesigned the strategic plan's format and content in response to suggestions from Board members.

Anticipated Action:

The Board will consider approval of its Strategic Plan.

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