The Life of a Resolution

Origin to implementation

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**Timeline**

- **Early Summer**
  - AASB staff proposes amendments

- **Aug-Sept**
  - Member districts review, propose & amend resolutions
  - **Deadline: Late SEPT**

- **October**
  - AASB Staff compile & return resolutions to districts for additional review prior to conference
  - **Deadline: Early Oct.**

- **Nov. Conf.**
  - Full membership amends & adopts final resolutions

- **Mid-July**
  - AASB Board proposes, reviews, amends & adopts draft resolutions

- **Mid Sept.**
  - AASB Teleconference on Resolutions

- **Early Nov.**
  - Resolution committee reviews, amends & approves resolutions

- **Nov. BOD mtg**
  - AASB Board selects priority resolution

**AASB STAFF**
- Early Summer
**AASB BOARD**
- Mid-July
**MEMBER DISTRICTS**
- August-September
**AASB STAFF**
- Early October
**RESOLUTION COMMITTEE @ ANNUAL CONF.**
- Early November
**FULL MEMBERSHIP @ ANNUAL CONF.**
- November Conf.
**AASB BOARD**
- Early-November
First shot.....AASB staff

Early Summer

AASB staff proposes amendments or new draft resolutions

Example: New 4.15 Teacher Evaluations

AASB urges the Department of Education & Early Development to help school districts implement the new regulations for evaluating teachers, administrators and special service providers in public schools.
Next the board reviews.....

July BOD Meeting
AASB Board proposes, reviews, amends & adopts draft resolutions
The board considers.....

• Resolutions due to sunset – continue or discontinue?
• Board recommends new draft resolutions
  • 3.25 Sexual Abuse Education & Prevention
• Board discusses “Big” issues facing Alaska public education
  • Funding
  • Choice/charters/boarding schools
  • Cultural Safety & Responsiveness
  • Personalized Learning
  • Standards & curriculum
  • Assessments
  • ESSA
  • Achievement for all students
Member district review

Aug-Sept
Member districts review, propose & amend resolutions
Deadline: Early Oct
October

AASB Staff compile & return resolutions to districts for review prior to conference

Deadline:
Mid Oct
(20d prior to annual conf)
Districts respond with their own resolutions or amendments. Examples:

- Base Student Allocation
- Federal Impact Aid
- Internet Funding
- State Standards
- Alternative Pathways to Certification
Resolution committee meeting - annual conference

Nov. Annual Conference
Resolution committee reviews, amends & approves resolutions
Resolution committee reports to membership
Membership votes!

Final day of annual conference
Full membership amends & adopts final resolutions

Resolutions Sunset in 5 years
AASB Board selects priorities
November meeting

AASB board decides on priority themes i.e.:

- Funding
- Innovation
- Cost Containment/Efficiencies
- Standards, Curriculum & Assessments
- Choice/Charters/Vouchers
- Student Achievement

Board selects resolutions supporting themes/issues
Why do these matter?


	

	


......Because.........
Staff, the AASB board and the membership use resolutions as a basis to advocate and deliberate …

We are resolved…
Legislative Committee testimony
Legislative conversations
Press conferences
The Governor
Resolutions.....

They tell everyone –

WHERE WE STAND