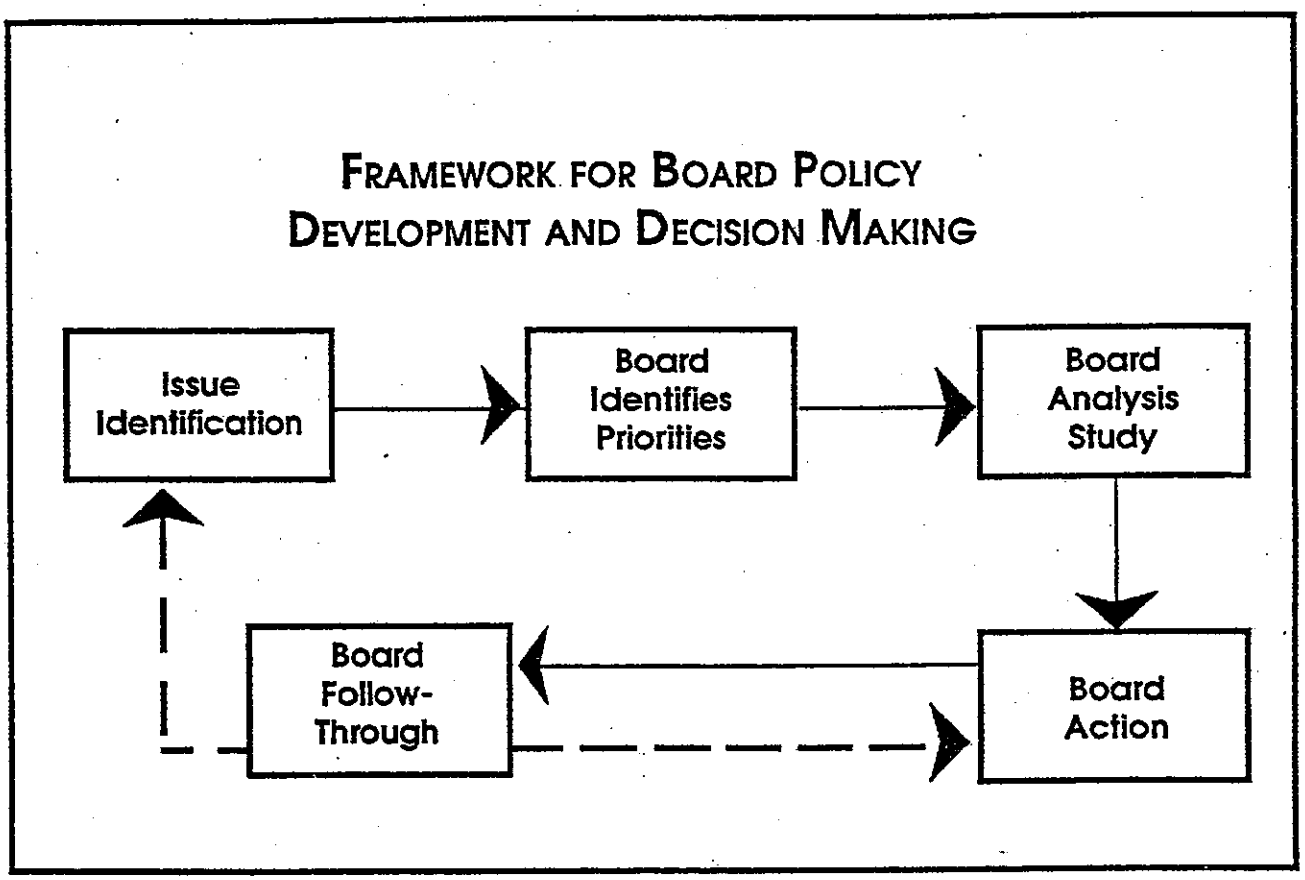
FRAMEWORK FOR BOARD POLICY
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Issue Identification
Board Identifies Priorities
Board Analysis Study
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| **February 6, 2008** | Authentic Intellectual Work<br><br>Project Lead the Way | Legislative Reception – Advocacy for Board Priorities | Appeal Decision<br><br>Carl D. Perkins Draft Plan Review<br><br>Rules: Chapter 83 – Educator Quality Programs (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 17 – Open Enrollment (Adopt)<br><br>Specially Accredited – Ankeny Christian Academy<br><br>Nonpublic Accreditation – Gehlen Catholic Elementary<br><br>Rules: Chapter 68 – Charter Schools (Notice) | Legislative Briefing – Preparation for Reception<br><br>Introduce Ambassador for Education during Director's Report |
| **March 11, 2008** | | | Russell Community School District Report on Phase II Fiscal Review and Accreditation Visit | |

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| **April 3-4, 2008** | Iowa Core Curriculum Approval | Joint Meeting with AEA Governing Boards – Department and State Board Update<br><br>Community College Condition of Education Report | Appeal Decision<br><br>Rules: Chapter 36 – Extracurricular Interscholastic Competition (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 68 – Charter Schools (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 12 – General Accreditation Standards (Adopt)<br><br>Carl D. Perkins Plan (Adopt)<br><br>AEA Budget Approval for 2008-2009<br><br>Program Approval<br>• Mt. Mercy Masters Program<br>• University of Northern Iowa Superintendent Preparation Program<br><br>Phase II Report and Recommendations<br><br>Exempt Schools<br><br>Accredited Nonpublic School Request to Add a Grade – Concordia Lutheran | Legislative Update<br><br>Participation in AEA Conference Sessions |

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| **May 14, 2008** | Update on Shared Efficiencies | Election of Officers | Community College Certified Budget Report<br><br>Community College Accreditation Report<br>• Hawkeye CC<br><br>Rules: Chapter 103 – Corporal Punishment (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 56 – Entrepreneurs with Disabilities (terminate rulemaking and re-notice)<br><br>Charter School Renewal<br><br>Wartburg Practitioner Preparation Program Approval<br><br>Nonpublic Accreditation – Grandview Park Baptist School | Legislative Update<br><br>Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services State and Strategic Plan |

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| **July 30 – August 1, 2008 Sioux City** | What Other States are Doing on School Reorganization<br><br>Update on Iowa Core Curriculum | Meet with Governor Culver about Education Priorities<br><br>Joint Meeting with Iowa Association of Community College Trustees<br><br>Participate in IACCT Annual Conference | Community College Accreditation Reports<br>• Northeast Iowa CC<br><br>Rules: Chapter 56 – Entrepreneurs with Disabilities (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 21 – Community Colleges and Chapter 24 – Community College Accreditation (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 84 – National Board Certification (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 17 – Open Enrollment (Notice)<br><br>Nonpublic Accreditation – Siouxland Community Christian School<br><br>Nonpublic Accreditation – Willowwind School | |

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| **August 20-22, 2008** | **STATE BOARD RETREAT**<br>2008 Update on Strategic Plan Measures of Success and Major Initiatives<br>What Does It Take to Achieve 21st Century Schools?<br>Identify State Board Policy Development Priorities<br>Initial Discussion of Legislative Priorities<br>Communication Plan | | | |
| **September 11, 2008** | Offers for FY 10 (Budget Request)<br><br>Articulation Website (Regents)<br><br>2007 Iowa Community College Performance Indicators Report | State Board Legislative Agenda for 2009 | AEA Accreditation Report (AEA 14 and Great Prairie)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 31 – Competent Private Instruction and Dual Enrollment (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 103 – Corporal Punishment (Adopt)<br><br>Practitioner Preparation Program Approvals<br>• Waldorf College<br>• Maharishi University of Management | Community College FY 09 Tuition and Fees Report<br><br>New Board member orientation session: Early Childhood Education |

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| **November 19-21, 2008** | Honors and Recognition – Breaking Barriers Awards<br><br>Visit George Washington Carver Early Childhood Education Program<br><br>Diversity Initiatives and Activities<br><br>State Board Policy Development Agenda and Master Calendar | Condition of Education Report<br><br>Joint Meeting with IASB Executive Board<br><br>Participation at IASB Annual Conference | Rules: Chapter 21 and 24 – Community Colleges (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 84 – National Board Certification (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 17 – Open Enrollment (Adopt) | 2008 Iowa Community Colleges Fall Enrollment Report |
| **Dec. 11, 2008** | Teacher Development Academies – How They Have Changed Teaching Practices<br><br>School Accreditation Visits – An Overview<br><br>Online Learning in Iowa | | Rules: Chapter 31 – Competent Private Instruction and Dual Enrollment (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 83 – Teacher Quality (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Healthy Kids – Chapters 12 (Accreditation) & 58 (School Breakfast and Lunch Program) (Notice)<br><br>Northwestern College Practitioner Preparation Program Approval<br><br>Request for Nonpublic Accreditation – Valley Lutheran High School, Cedar Falls | |

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| **February 11, 2009** | Essential Concepts and Skill Sets of the Iowa Core Curriculum in Grades K-8 Social Studies, K-8 21st Century Skills, and K-12 Process Skills in Mathematics (Approve)<br><br>Innovative Efforts in Iowa Schools – West Marshall Virtual Reality Lab; Clear Creek Amana SAM | Legislative Reception – Advocacy for Board Priorities | Rules: Chapters 22 (Senior Year Plus) and 97 (Supplementary Weighting) (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 16 – Statewide Voluntary Preschool Program (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 48 – Certified School to Career Program (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 91 – Phase III, Educational Excellence Program (Notice) | State Board Work Session:<br><br>-- School Finance in Iowa<br><br>-- Iowa Community Colleges Joint Enrollment Report<br><br>-- The Annual Community College Condition of Education Report<br><br>Legislative Briefing – Preparation for Reception<br><br>Introduction of Ambassador for Education during Director's Report |

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| **April 30 / May 1, 2009** | | Joint Meeting with AEA Governing Boards – Department and State Board Update | AEA Budget Approval for 2009-2010<br><br>Community College Certified Budget Report<br><br>Rules: Healthy Kids Act – Chapters 12 and 58 (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 79 - Standards for Practitioner and Administrator Preparation Programs (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 16 – Statewide Voluntary Preschool Program (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 48 – Certified School to Career Program (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 83 – Teacher Quality Program (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 91 – Phase III – Educational Excellence Program (Adopt)<br><br>Renewal of Charter Status – West Central Community School District | Legislative Update<br><br>Participation in AEA Conference Sessions<br><br>National Association of State Boards of Education and Centers for Disease Control HIV Meeting Report<br><br>Community College Adult Literacy Annual Report<br><br>Welcome Teachers from Taiwan |

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| **April 30 / May 1, 2009** (continued) | | | Rules: Chapter 98 – Financial Management of Categorical Funding (Notice)<br><br>Appeal Decision<br><br>Religious Groups Exempted from School Standards<br><br>AEAs 13 and 14 Reorganization Plan Approval<br><br>North Iowa Area Community College Accreditation Report | |
| **June 18-19, 2009** | STATE BOARD RETREAT & Business Meeting<br><br>Appointment of Department of Education's Representative to the Iowa Workforce Development Board<br><br>2009 Update on Strategic Plan Measures of Success and Major Initiatives<br><br>Resources<br><br>Whole Grade Sharing, National Standards, Charter Schools<br><br>Creating a Sense of Urgency for Change<br><br>American Recovery and Reinvestment Act – Race to the Top<br><br>Identify State Board Policy Development Priorities | | | |

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| **July 29-31, 2009**<br>**Ft. Dodge** | Update on Iowa Core Curriculum<br><br>Update on Voluntary Preschool Program for Four-Year Olds<br><br>Innovation -- HyperStream (Technology Association of Iowa with school district representatives)<br><br>Update on Articulation - Iowa Lakes Community College and the U of I College of Engineering joint program / wind energy partnership<br><br>Iowa Community College Performance Indicators Report | Joint Meeting with Iowa Association of Community College Trustees (Student presentations)<br><br>Dialogue with Community College Presidents – How Community Colleges adapt to the quickly changing business and economic climate. | Community College Accreditation Report<br>• Iowa Lakes<br><br>Rules: Chapter 22 and 97 – Senior Year Plus(Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 98 – Financial Management of Categorical Funding (Adopt)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 79 – Practitioner and Administrator Preparation Programs (Adopt)<br><br>Practitioner Preparation Program Approvals<br>• Grinnell<br>• Graceland<br><br>Teacher Intern Preparation Program Approvals (4 programs)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 41 – Special Education (Notice),<br><br>Rules: Chapter 59 – Gifted and Talented Program Funding (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 60 - English Language Learners Program Funding (Notice)<br><br>Rules: Chapter 96 - Sales and Services Tax for School Infrastructure (Notice) | Participation in IACCT Annual Conference<br><br>Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services State and Strategic Plan |

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| **November 18-20, 2009** | Honors and Recognition: Breaking Barriers Awards<br><br>Innovative Uses of Technology (i.e. Waterloo Smart Boards, technology grant recipients)<br><br>Update on School Leadership Initiatives | Condition of Education Report<br><br>Joint Meeting with IASB Executive Board<br>Topic: Core Curriculum | Rules: Chapter 77 - Teacher Intern Preparation Program Approval (Notice) | Participation in IASB Conference |
| **December 10, 2009** | Meet with Representatives from the Board of Educational Examiners | | | |

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| **September 10, 2009**<br>**Iowa City** | Offers for FY 11 (Budget Request)<br><br>Energy Efficiency in Schools (visit LEED certified school in Iowa City School District)<br><br>EdInsight – Update on New DE Data Systems<br><br>Innovative Program – Sigourney Entrepreneurial Academy | State Board Legislative Agenda for 2010<br><br>Schedule a Community Meeting | Practitioner Preparation Program Approval<br>• William Penn<br>• Cornell<br>• Iowa Wesleyan<br><br>AEA Accreditation Reports<br>• Prairie Lakes AEA 8<br>• AEA 267<br><br>Charter School Renewals<br><br>Rules: Chapter 63 – Educational Programs and Services for Pupils in Juvenile Homes (Notice) | Community College FY 10 Tuition and Fees Report |