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1560 Broadway, Denver, CO
16th Floor – Emily Griffith Room
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Call-in Info: Access Number: 1-877-820-7831; Room Number: 215368#

- I. **Greetings and Introductions**
- II. **Budget/Financial Aid Update- Celina Duran, Mark Cavanaugh, Julia Ramsey**
- III. **Study Colorado- Inta Morris**
- IV. **Master Planning update- Inta Morris**
- V. **DHE updates**
 - a. Departmental studies underway
 - i. January 15, 2012 - Price Sensitivity Study from APA
 - ii. March 31st – Retention and Transfer Study from NCHEMS
 - iii. April 30th – Admissions Report from APA and Mesa
 - iv. May 31st – Remedial Study
 - v. June 15th – Educator Prep final report
 - b. Complete College America- Data Collection/ Remedial Reform
 - c. Other updates
- VI. **Policy Discussion- Admission/ HEAR**
 - a. Discussion questions:
 - i. From your perspective, what should a statewide Admission's policy accomplish? (IE- guarantee admissions to every qualified student? Allow for seamless entrance, transfer? Be a useful tool for recruiters or high school counselors? Etc.)
 - ii. What, in the current Admissions policy, works? What do you "like" about it?
 - iii. What, in the current Admissions policy DOES NOT work? What would you change? (or, What do you "hate" about it?)
 - iv. How should the Admissions policy speak to (or align with) K12 standards? Is that important to you or not?
 - v. What are your thoughts on the Index Score?
 - vi. What is the role of transfer and remediation in the Statewide Admissions policy?
 - vii. Is there a state that, in your opinion, is a "best practice" in Admissions policies? What about that state works? If yes, bring us an example to use as a model!
 - b. Task Force composition
- VII. **Institutional Updates**