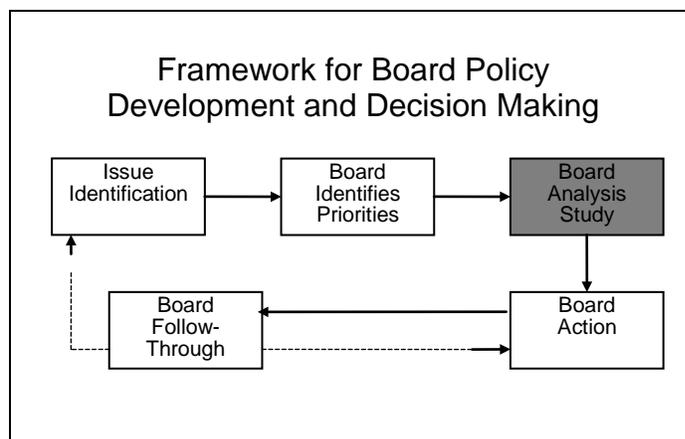


# Iowa State Board of Education

## Executive Summary

August 1, 2013



**Agenda Item:** Follow-up on Statewide Assessment

**Iowa Goal:** All

**State Board Role/  
Authority**

Iowa Code section 256.7(21) allows the State Board to submit to the General Assembly recommendations for modifications of assessments of student progress on core academic indicators.

**Presenters:** Dave Tilly, Deputy Director  
Division of Learning and Results

Ryan Wise, Director of Strategic Initiatives  
Office of the Director

**Attachments:** None

**Recommendation:** It is recommended that the State Board hear and discuss this information.

**Background:** This section of the agenda is the next installment in the State Board's continuing conversation on assessment in Iowa. Information will be presented on Iowa's participation in the Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium as well as next steps identified for the state's assessment task force. Finally, the State Board's role in moving the conversation forward at a state level will be identified."

Opportunities for interaction around these topics will be provided throughout.