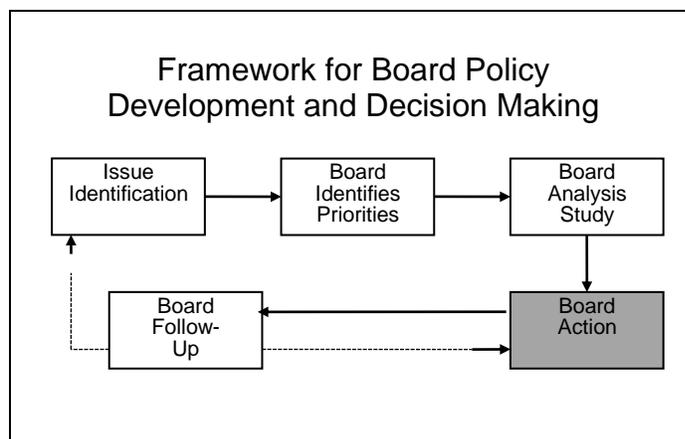


# Iowa State Board of Education

## Executive Summary

August 4, 2016



**Agenda Item:** State Board Policy Development Priorities for 2016-2017

**Iowa Goals:** All

**State Board Role/Authority:** The State Board of Education is established to adopt and establish policy for programs and services of the Department of Education pursuant to law (Iowa Code section 256.7(1)). As part of this responsibility, the State Board identifies Policy Development Priorities at their retreat each year.

**Presenters:** Ryan Wise, Director  
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State Board of Education

**Attachments:** None

**Recommendation:** It is recommended that the State Board approve the Policy Development Priorities for 2016 – 2017.

**Background:** Each year the State Board identifies Policy Development Priorities at the State Board retreat in June. As in the past, board members will continue to focus on one of the priority areas and possibly be involved with presenting at board meetings when that topic is being discussed.