Agenda (Revised) PTAC-Education 23 May 2024 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

1. Increasing Voter Participation

- a. Move School Elections to Coincide with November General Elections
 - i. Concept implementation and challenges [Lance Melton, MTSBA supported by Pad McCracken, LSD]
 - ii. Comments from Montana Association of Clerk and Recorders [Regina Plettenberg]
 - b. Establishing voter turnout thresholds

2. State School Levy

- a. Current Law with Changes to the GTB Ratio & HB587 Dial [Julia Pattin, LFD]
- b. Floating Mills (starting at 79 mills) [Julia Pattin, LFD]

3. Replace District BASE Levy with a Countywide BASE Levy

a. Discussion of Benefits and Concerns [Lance Melton & Pad McCracken]

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5. Big Sky Relief - Dwaine Iverson to discuss proposed scenarios

- a. Description [Dwaine Iverson with support from Eric Dale, DOR]
- b. Implementation Issues

6. Equalization Statute Cleanup

- a. Update from Revenue Interim Committee [Megan Moore, LSD]
- b. Update from Education Interim Committee [Pad McCracken, LSD]

7. Public Comment