

#####

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

April 6, 2016

#####

Council will hear from Tacoma Public Schools and the Road Map Project

Olympia—On April 13, the council will consider how the work of collective impact coalitions relates to the 2016 Strategic Action Plan. The council will hear from Tacoma Public Schools and the University of Washington-Tacoma. They have partnered with local community organizations to improve high school graduation. In south Seattle and south King County, the Community Center for Educational Results sponsors the Road Map Project. This project is a community-wide effort to improve student achievement from cradle to college and career.

The council will also hear updates on the 2016 legislative session and the Guaranteed Education Tuition program. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 13, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Renton. Public comment periods are scheduled at noon and 2:45 p.m. All [materials](#) will be available online the day of the meeting.

Meeting Location

Puget Sound ESD
Puyallup Room
800 Oakesdale Ave. SW
Renton, WA 98057

#####

Contact:

Emily Persky (media@wsac.wa.gov)
Communications Program Manager
360-753-7817

About the Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC): Established as a cabinet-level state agency in 2012, WSAC provides strategic planning, administrative oversight and advocacy to support increased student success and higher levels of educational attainment in Washington.

The [nine-member Council](#) includes five citizen members, one of whom is a current student, and one representative from each of Washington's four major educational sectors. The Council proposes improvements and innovations to meet the evolving needs of students, employers and the educational community. In recognition of the economic, social and civic benefits of public education, the council advocates for increased financial support and civic commitment to ensure a thriving Washington.

Find us online at www.wsac.wa.gov, on Twitter [@WSACouncil](https://twitter.com/WSACouncil), and on [Facebook](#).