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## EL Advisory Group Meeting

January 17, 2020 | 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Oregon Department of Education- room 251 A & B  
255 Capitol Street NE | Salem, OR 97310

## Agenda

| Time  | Agenda Item   |
|-------|---|
| 9:00  | Land Acknowledgement, introductions, and EL Advisory Group leadership – <i>Dr. Juan Carlos Chavez</i> |
| 9:30  | Chair and Co-Chair Nominations  |
| 10:00 | Co-Construction of EL Advisory Group Charter  |
| 10:30 | Break (15 min)  |
| 12:00 | Break: grab lunch, stretch, network, get settled, eat, etc.   |
| 12:30 | Call for Advisory Group Discussion  |
| 1:30  | Comments, questions and concerns from audience  |
| 1:50  | Closing of meeting  |
| 2:00  | ADJOURN   |

### Future Meeting Dates

- Thursday, March 12, 2020
- Friday, May 15, 2020
- October Meeting TBD

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