To: Members of the State Board of Education and Early Development

**December 8, 2022** 

Agenda Item: 8

From: Heidi Teshner, Acting Commissioner

#### **♦ ISSUE**

The board is being asked to approve its annual report to the legislature.

## **♦** BACKGROUND

- A state statute signed in 2011 requires the State Board of Education and Early Development to provide an annual report to the legislature.
- The statute sets out requirements for a report to the legislature to be made no later than the 30<sup>th</sup> legislative day of each regular session and it must be presented in person.
- The statute further sets out that the report must describe efforts of the board to develop, maintain, and continuously improve a comprehensive quality public education system, as provided for under the bylaws of the board.
- The legislature later added intent language that requested inclusion of the most recent National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) data in the written report.
- The first presentation to the legislature took place in January 2012.
- The draft report can be found under Agenda Item 4. The final report will be presented to the board for approval during its January 2023 meeting.
- Grant Robinson, Public Information Officer, will be present to brief the board.

## **♦ OPTIONS**

Approve the draft annual report as presented. Amend the draft report and approve the amended draft report. Seek additional information.

# **♦** ADMINISTRATION'S RECOMMENDATION

Approve the draft annual report as presented.

#### **◆ SUGGESTED MOTION**

I move the State Board of Education and Early Development approve the draft report to the legislature.