Down County Consortium Committee October 2008 Chair: SallyTaber

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The DCC Committee, which is composed of the cluster coordinators from the 5 Downcounty Consortium clusters—Blair, Einstein, Northwood, Kennedy and Wheaton, met on September 30 at the home of Jennifer Chambers, Northwood cluster coordinator. We discussed our advocacy priorities for this year, which include: high academic ineligibility levels in our high schools and middle schools, AP success rates, SAT participation, HSA pass rates, and middle school reform efforts. The DCC coordinator, Sally Taber, will address these issues in her testimony at the BOE Community Forum at Einstein HS on October 16. We will also focus on these issues as cluster coordinators prepare their cluster Operating Budget testimony later in the year.