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## **Colorado online education review commission releases draft report**

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A commission formed to review online K-12 learning in Colorado today (January 26, 2007) released a draft of its findings and recommendations.

The report from the Trujillo Commission on Online Education – named after its chair, University of Colorado School of Law Assistant Dean Lorenzo Trujillo – was posted online this afternoon at the website of the Donnell-Kay Foundation ([www.dkfoundation.org](http://www.dkfoundation.org)). To view the report, click on the “In the works” tab on the left side of the homepage.

The commission has scheduled a forum to review and receive public comments on the draft report for Feb. 2, from 2-5 p.m. at the first floor boardroom of Denver Public Schools’ administrative offices on 900 Grant St.

Anyone seeking to provide comments is asked to do so by responding to the questions posted on the website. These also are available in the “In the works” section of [www.dkfoundation.org](http://www.dkfoundation.org).

Comments also may be submitted to Nina Lopez, policy director for the Donnell-Kay Foundation. She can be reached at [nlopez@dkfoundation.org](mailto:nlopez@dkfoundation.org) or at the Donnell-Kay Foundation, 730 17th Street, Suite 950, Denver, CO 80202. Comments must be received by Feb. 2 to be considered.

“This draft report is just that – a draft. It offers a document that the public can respond to and provide their perspectives and ideas to the commission,” Trujillo said. “We encourage this input so that the final report can take into consideration a wide range of perspectives.”

The commission will release its final recommendations on Feb. 15.

Other commission members are Kin Griffith (K-12 Education); Tim Snyder, EdD (Executive Director Emeritus, Colorado Online Learning); and Jane W. Urschel, PhD (Associate Executive Director, Colorado Association of School Boards).

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