HB26-170 Access to Opportunity Task Force Membership

Name	Task Force Role	Title and Organization
Appointed by the President of the Senate		
Lisa Escarcega	Representative of the State Board of Education	Board Member, Colorado State Board of Education
Reilly Pharo Carter	Representative of a community organization focused on closing opportunity gaps	Vice President of Policy and Advocacy, Gary Community Ventures
Nella Garcia	Metro Denver public school leader with a demonstrated track record of meaningfully narrowing opportunity gaps	Chief Executive Officer, DSST Public Schools
Meghan Raynes	Representative of a statewide organization representing educators	Director of Government Affairs, Colorado Education Association
Appointed by the Speaker of the House		
Kendra Carpenter	Rural public school leader	Dillon Valley Elementary Principal, Summit School District
Jason Malmberg	Representative of a statewide organization representing teachers	President of the School District 14 Classroom Teachers Association (SD14CTA)
Nicholas Hernandez	Representative of a statewide parent organization focused on education policy and closing opportunity gaps	Executive Director, Transform Education Now
Rebecca Carpenter	Representative of an organization that works directly with or at a facility school	Director, Savio Child Placement Agency
Appointed by House of Representatives Minority Leader		
Tegan Lewis	Southern Colorado public school leader with a demonstrated track record of meaningfully narrowing opportunity gaps	Mentor Teacher, ESS Administrator, and Interventionist, Battle Rock Charter School
Wendy Birhanzel	Representative of a statewide organization representing superintendents	Superintendent, Harrison SD2 and CASE President
Margaret Nelson	Colorado public school classroom	5th Grade Teacher and Instructional

	teacher with a demonstrated track record of meaningfully narrowing opportunity gaps	Coach, Minnequa Elementary, Pueblo School District 60
Appointed by the Senate Minority Leader		
Madi Ashour	Representative of a statewide organization focused on education policy and closing opportunity gaps	Director of K-12 Education Policy, Colorado Children's Campaign
Jamita Horton	Representative of a statewide organization representing educators with a particular focus on education policy and closing opportunity gaps	Executive Director, Teach Plus Colorado
Ryan Adams	Leader of a Colorado public community school with a demonstrated track record of meaningfully narrowing opportunity gaps	Principal, Aurora West College Preparatory Academy (Aurora Public Schools)
Appointed by the Governor		
Tammi Hiler	Representative of the Governor's Office	Special Advisor, K-12 and Early Childhood Education, Governor Jared Polis
David Singer	Representative of a statewide organization representing charter schools	Executive Director, University Preparatory Schools
Deirdre Pilch	Northern Colorado public school leader with a demonstrated track record of meaningfully narrowing opportunity gaps	Superintendent of Weld County School District 6, Greeley and Evans
Ysabelle Rosales	Recent graduate of a Colorado public high school with a demonstrated track record of meaningfully narrowing opportunity gaps	Recent Colorado High School Graduate
Appointed by the Commissioner of Education		
Nicole Monet	Representative of the Colorado Department of Education focused on addressing opportunity gaps	Executive Director of School and District Transformation, Colorado Department of Education