



**Educator Retention and Recruitment Study Committee**  
**September 21, 2017**  
**Rutledge Conference Center**  
**1:00pm**

- I. Brief Remarks & Introductions.....Superintendent Molly Spearman
- II. Report from College of Education Higher Ed Partners  
.....Dean Jon Pederson, University of South Carolina  
Dean Jennie Rakestraw, Winthrop University
- III. Teacher Panel  
  
Ann Blackman, Clarendon School District 1, Summerton Early Childhood Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Erin Fox, Cherokee County School District, Gaffney High School, English, 2018 State TOY  
Justin Goldsmith, SC Public Charter School District, Legacy Early College Middle School, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Patrick Kelly, Richland School District 2, Blythewood High School, AP U.S. Government  
Vanessa Torres, Lexington-Richland District 5, Nursery Road Elementary, Spanish  
Moderator: Jenna Hallman, CERRA
- IV. Discussion
- V. Adjourn

\*Next Meeting date will be Thursday, October 19, 2017 at 1:00pm, RCC

## **Proviso 1.92 Educator Recruitment and Retention Study Committee Members**

1. State Superintendent Molly M. Spearman, Chairman
2. Senator Greg Hembree, Chairman of Senate Education Committee designee
3. Rep. Rita Allison, Chairman of House Education and Public Works Committee
4. Senator Sandy Senn, Chairman of Senate LCI Committee designee
5. Rep. Mike Anthony, Chairman of House LCI Committee designee
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7. Senator John Matthews, Senate Minority Leader designee
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11. Kathy Mannes, Chairman of Palmetto State Teacher's Association designee
12. Bernadette Hampton, Chairman of the SC Educator's Association designee
13. Superintendent Fay Sprouse, Gubernatorial Appointee (Small District)
14. Superintendent Jesse Washington, Gubernatorial Appointee (Medium District)
15. Superintendent Stephen Hefner, Gubernatorial Appointee (Large District)
16. Jane Turner, Executive Director of CERRA
17. Neil Robinson, Chairman of the Education Oversight Committee
18. Dean Jon Pederson, Gubernatorial Appointee (College of Education)
19. Dean Jennie Rakestraw, Gubernatorial Appointee (College of Education)