

Meeting: ESEA Federal Programs Committee of Practitioners - Roundtable Meeting
Date: January 21, 2025
Location: SCASA Building
Facilitator: Jewell Stanley
Minutes: Leslie Bloss

Welcome and Introductions – Jewell called the meeting to order and introduced the agenda.

Review of Meeting Minutes – Minutes from previous meeting reviewed and approved

New Business – Jewell provided updates on each agenda item.

- Updates to Final Allocations – Updates were provided on final allocations. GANS have been sent out for Title I, IV, V and allocations have been updated within GEMS and GAPS. Title II is forthcoming as it continues to route through our internal system.
- Bru Man Mock Audit – Title I is set to take place January 22 and 23 for SCDE. Title II, IV, and V mock audits will occur later this Spring.
- N&D Audit-Spring – USED is auditing Title I, Part D. Jennifer and Makesia have collected evidence and are uploading documents for the audit currently. The official visit will take place later this Spring.
- SC Legislature Audit Council is in the process of interviewing members of OFSA and districts regarding federal funding.

Discussion

- ADM/Enrollment-Title I – discussion on eligibility – April 1st or 135th day – Enrollment numbers must be used when calculating poverty percentages.
- Claiming Expectation Criteria – Current claiming expectations will be kept the same
- COP Stakeholder Assignment – reviewed list and removed names of those no longer members of COP. Members were asked to brainstorm additional members they could recruit for each region
- Handbook Review – The rough draft of the handbook was shared. Members were asked to provide feedback before or at the scheduled February 13th TEAMS meeting. Our goal is to share the final handbook at ESSA Academy.

Calendar

- Set COP Meeting Calendar
-- ESSA Academy March 24

- July - Coordinators Training
- SCATA October 28

Questions and Concerns – There were no questions or concerns raised.

Adjournment