



**Committee of Practitioners' (COP)  
Meeting Agenda  
April 28, 2017**

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**9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.**

- **Housekeeping Reminders and Bylaws**  
Otistene Smith, Public School Program Coordinator
- **Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Update**  
Tina Smith-Director of Policy and Special Projects
- **Introduction of Ombudsman (Wes Whitley) and Duties**  
Bobby Lester, Federal Programs Director,
- **Federal Programs Updates**  
**Title I Updates**  
Jayne Green, Title I Director  
**Title II, Part A Grant Application**  
Rick Green, SIG/Title II, Part A Program Administrator

**Highlights of 1003g Programs in Schools**

Wendy Allen, Assistant to the Director  
School Improvement Grant (1003g)  
Kyron Jones, Assistant to the Director  
School Improvement Grant (1003g)

**11:00-11:30- Review of ESSA documents and other Information shared- Provide written comments**

**11:30 A.M. – 11:45 – Break**

**11:45 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.**

- **Lunch-Work Groups** – Continuing to Review Documents- Provide Written Comments

**12:30 P.M. – 3:30 P.M.**

- **National Association of Federal Education Program Administrators (NAFEPA) Update**  
Kimberly Ed.S Federal Programs & Professional Development Coordinator  
NAFEPA Executive Committee & Board of Directors Secretary  
AAFC Region Board Representative
- **Federal Programs Updates**  
Otistene Smith, Public School Program Coordinator - Award Recognitions- National Blue Ribbon Schools, Private Schools questions and COP vacancies

**Continuing to Review ESSA Documents, Bylaws, COP vacancies, Draft Private Schools' questions shared- Provide Written Comments**

- **Purpose of Meeting:** Review any federal or state rules, regulations and policies relating to Title I of ESEA as amended by (ESSA) in order to ensure they conform to the purpose of federal programs.