

## Education and Employment Committee

Wednesday, April 18, 2017, 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Embassy Suites– Baton Rouge

4914 Constitution Ave.

### AGENDA

3:00 Welcome and Introductions – Robert Paddy

3:10 Approval of the [October 2017 EE Committee Summary](#) [Vote]

#### 3:15 EDUCATION

##### FFY17 Council Plan

- Monitor/Policy/Implementation of Act 833 of 2014 (4.1.1)
  - Data on number of students enrolled in non-credit bearing courses 2012-2016: [Raw data state-level and by LEA](#); [Graphs](#).

##### [FFY18 Council Plan Status Updates](#)

- Advocate for LDOE focus/capacity on Special education (3.1.1)
- Advocate for improved complaint and monitoring procedures. (3.2.2)
- Emergent education issues (3.3.1)
  - [Staff recommendation and information related to problems with students not receiving instructional materials in alternate formats in a timely manner.](#)
  - [Louisiana IDEA FFY2018 Grant – Public Comment Form](#)
- Advocate for and monitor equitable funding based on Minimum Foundation Program (MFP) (4.1.2)
  - [Study on Advocacy related to a differentiated Minimum Foundation Program](#)
- Advocate for increased meaningful opportunities for stakeholder input; improved practices to facilitate stakeholder input and consideration of stakeholder recommendations (4.2.1)

#### 4:45 EMPLOYMENT

##### [FFY18 Council Plan Status Updates](#)

- Advocate for certification of Employment Support Professionals (ESPs) (5.1.1)
- Customized Employment training (demonstration project) (5.1.4)
- Provide funding to support training and T.A. to build the capacity of supported employment providers in underserved areas serving individuals with the most substantial employment support needs. (5.2.1)
- Advocate for emergent employment issues (5.4.1)
  - Provide input to LRS on Customized Employment rules

5:55 New/Unfinished Business – Robert Paddy

5:58 Announcements/Evaluations – Robert Paddy

6:00 Adjourn

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