



MAASE Finance and Legislation Minutes Tuesday, June 11, 2013

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Agenda Items:

1. Update from MDE on State and Federal Finance (Andrejack, Easterling)

a) State Update (Easterling)

- Ed Omnibus Bill to government on 6/5 has 14 days to veto, has until 6/19 to sign
- 11-12 4096 posted on MDE webpage
- 12-13 4096 – No hard copies posted last week of July. Must save to modify
- Transportation – Please certify reports by June 30 for 4094.

b) Federal Update (Andrejack)

- Flowthrough app is live in MEGS as of last Friday
- Allocations should be in MEGS by 6/12
- Due date for submission – July 26 (retro to July 1)
- Preschool not yet loaded
- EOSD & Transition July 26 (all retro to July 1)
- Part C app is available – July 1 due date
- Indirect rate is now included as a separate link
 - 3 years to spend funds
 - Still calculate and input as normal
 - Rate will also apply to 2nd and 3rd years
 - Recalculate from year to year
 - Warning will be issued if it's gone over
- Still funds to be drawn for 12 fiscal year
- IFER2 – is coming to an end – make amendments
- IFER1 – not yet available

2. Update from MDE OES Program Accountability Unit (Rotarius)

- Filed 6/5/13 – take effect 30 days later
 - Deaf & Hard of Hearing – new reqs on mich.gov/mdcr
 - Complaints now posted

3. CASE Update (Scott-Burton)

- Washington – 10 people going – July 14-17 –

- Legislative Leadership Summit – More can still go
- CASE Policy Committee gathering info for re-auth of IDEA
- Leadership Seminar – 2 \$500 stipends – 1 is Char Cole
- Following ESEA (VanderPloeg)
 - Teacher Certification
 - Accountability Standards

4. Other items:

- a) MASA-MAISA Legislative Update (Bretschneider)
 - We are collaborating with MAISA & MASA
- b) Legislative Action Committee Update (Smith-Gerdes)
 - Legislative Action Day was successful
- c) HB 4779 (Scott-Burton)
 - HB 4779 - Bill regarding auxiliary services & personality test – remove both sections
 - HB 4797 & 4798 were fast-tracked
 - HB 4815 & 4813 – Joint meeting today between House & Senate regarding dissolution of districts and the roles of ISDs.
- d) Other
 - Part C – MOE (Andrejak)
 - Recent visit from feds
 - Testing of MOE – state level
 - Collect from locals
 - Not like Part B where it's local but rather it is state level
 - Collecting information thru MEGS
 - Contact: Colleen from Part C Office
 - Scott Hubble and Laurie Jefsen are retiring