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### MEMORANDUM

TO:

Selected City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM:

Eric G. Mackey

State Superintendent of Education

RE:

Creation of the Alabama School Improvement Network

Selected local education agencies (LEAs) were surveyed regarding school improvement needs. The responses overwhelmingly pointed to the establishment of a group of district leaders dedicated to the important work of school improvement.

Therefore, a collaborative group of district leaders called the Alabama School Improvement Network (ALSINet) has been developed with the purpose of learning best practices for developing, monitoring, and supporting the school improvement process. Participants should include district teams of two to three persons, such as federal programs personnel, graduation coaches, school improvement specialists, turnaround specialists, or individuals responsible for school improvement. The ALSINet will meet on a quarterly basis. Training dates, selected participants, and the STI-PD title number for each session are attached. Please register in STI-PD to attend a session at your location.

If you have any questions about the ALSINet, please contact Ms. Lori Boyd at lboyd@alsde.edu or Dr. Molly Killingsworth at mkillingsworth@alsde.edu.

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### Attachments

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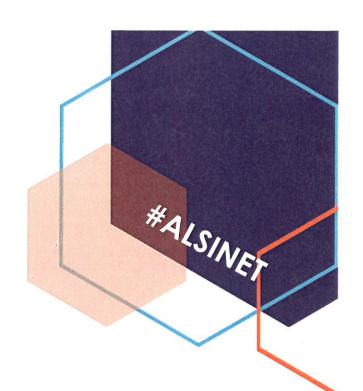
All Applicable Federal Programs Coordinators

Dr. Daniel Boyd Mr. Edmund Moore

Ms. Lori Boyd

Dr. Molly Killingsworth

# Alabama School Improvement Network





Facilitated by the Office of Student Learning

Alabama State Department of Education

**PURPOSE:** Individuals who work in the area of School Improvement will come together to learn and share positive practices for developing, monitoring, and supporting the school improvement process.

INTENDED AUDIENCE: Federal programs personnel, graduation coaches, school improvement specialists, turnaround specialists, and other roles responsible for school improvement.

## **School Improvement Network**

### MEETING DATES

### **September Meetings**

September 13<sup>th</sup> Mobile September 13<sup>th</sup> Scottsboro September 17<sup>th</sup> Montgomery September 19<sup>th</sup> Birmingham

### **October Meetings**

October 29<sup>th</sup> Birmingham October 30<sup>th</sup> Montgomery October 31<sup>st</sup> Scottsboro October 31<sup>st</sup> Mobile

### **February Meetings**

February 5<sup>th</sup> Birmingham February 6<sup>th</sup> Scottsboro February 6<sup>th</sup> Montgomery February 7<sup>th</sup> Mobile

### **May Meetings**

May 6<sup>th</sup> Birmingham May 7<sup>th</sup> Montgomery May 7<sup>th</sup> Scottsboro May 8<sup>th</sup> Mobile

(specific locations TBA)



# Discussion topics will include, but not be limited to the following:

Building District Capacity to Support School Improvement

Developing a School Improvement Plan

Conducting Needs Assessment & Analyzing Data

RTI & Differentiation

Four Domains of Rapid School Improvement (Instructional Transformation, Talent Development, Culture Shift, & Turnaround Leadership)

Transition to e-Prove

Continuous Improvement Process

For more information, please contact Dr. Molly Killingsworth <a href="mailto:mkillingsworth@alsde.edu">mkillingsworth@alsde.edu</a> or Lori Boyd <a href="mailto:boyd@alsde.edu">boyd@alsde.edu</a>.

# ALABAMA SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT NETWORK TRAINING SESSIONS

SYSTEM GROUP 1		TRAINING DATES	TRAINING LOCATION
Andalusia City	Coffee County		
Dothan City	Covington County	September 17, 2018	Montgomery, AL
Enterprise City	Dallas County		Check STI PD for specific
Geneva City	Dale County		locations
Ozark City	Elmore County		
Selma City	Henry County		
Tallassee City	Houston County	October 30, 2018	
Troy City	Lowndes County		
Bullock County	Montgomery County		
Butler County	Pike County	February 6, 2019	
	Wilcox County		- 1 (4)
	STI-PD #	May 7, 2019	
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SYSTEM GROUP 2		TRAINING DATES	TRAINING LOCATION
Bessemer City	Greene County		
Birmingham City	Hale County	September 19, 2018	Birmingham, AL
Midfield City	Pickens County		Check STI PD for specific
Roanoke City	Randolph County		locations
Tuscaloosa City	St. Clair County		
Chilton County	Sumter County	October 29, 2018	
Cleburne County	Talladega County		
Coosa County	Tallapoosa County	Fohrung F 2010	
	Tuscaloosa County	February 5, 2019	1 2 2
	STI-PD # ASINet2018-100B	May 6, 2019	

# ALABAMA SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT NETWORK TRAINING SESSIONS

SYST	EM GROUP 3	TRAINING DATES	TRAINING LOCATION
Albertville City	DeKalb County		
Anniston City	Etowah County	September 13, 2018	Scottsboro, AL
Florence City	Jackson County		Check for STI PD for specific
Ft. Payne City	Marion County		locations
Gadsden City	Marshall County		
Scottsboro City	Walker County		
Blount County	Winston County	October 31, 2018	
Cullman County			
		February 6, 2019	
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	STI-PD # ASINet2018-100H	May 7, 2019	

SYSTEM GROUP 4		TRAINING DATES	TRAINING LOCATION	
Demopolis City Linden City Opp City Clarke County Choctaw County Conecuh County	Escambia County Marengo County Mobile County Monroe County Washington County	September 13, 2018  October 31, 2018	Mobile, AL Check for STI PD for specific locations	
	STI-PD #	February 7, 2019		
	ASINet2018-100MB	May 8, 2019		