September 4, 2019

MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Eric G. Mackey
State Superintendent of Education

RE: Alabama School Improvement Network

The Alabama State Department of Education, Office of School Improvement, will host another series of School Improvement Network (SI NET) meetings this year to support districts with Additional Targeted Support and Improvement (ATSI) schools. Sessions will provide targeted professional learning and resources to improve academic outcomes for subgroup populations, as well as share best practices for developing, monitoring, and supporting the school improvement process.

Each district with an ATSI school is expected to send at least one administrator who is responsible for the school improvement process. However, districts may send up to three individuals. These teams can be comprised of federal programs personnel, special education directors, English Learner coordinators, school improvement specialists, turnaround specialists, or any other role responsible for school improvement. Agendas will be provided prior to the sessions to help districts select appropriate teams.

Dates for the sessions and selected participants can be found on the attached flyer. Please register in STI-PD to attend a session at your location. The STI-PD course title is ASINet 2019-20.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Dr. Molly Killingsworth at mkillingsworth@alsde.edu.

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Attachment

cc: Federal Programs Coordinators
    Special Education Coordinators
    School Improvement Specialists
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    Mrs. Angela Martin
    Dr. Molly Killingsworth
    Dr. Melissa Shields

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Alabama School Improvement Network

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Alabama State Department of Education

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

For more information, please contact Dr. Molly Killingsworth mkillingsworth@alsde.edu or Dr. Melissa Shields mshields@alsde.edu.