June 26, 2024

MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Eric G. Mackey  
State Superintendent of Education

RE: Charter School Authorizers Annual Trainings

In accordance with the Alabama School Choice and Student Opportunity Act 2023-420, as amended, the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) Office of Charter Schools will hold the annual required training for all approved public charter school authorizers and any local school boards that would like to apply to become a public charter school authorizer.

To ensure we are serving our local school board leadership, we will host four training sessions to assist with fulfilling the annual training requirements for current and potential local school board authorizers. Select the hyperlinked facility that meets your availability. Upon completion of the training registration, further information will be provided.

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| July 25, 2024| 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. | ALSDE-Birmingham Office  
1800 International Park Drive, Suite 400  
Birmingham, AL 35243 |
| August 22, 2024| 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. | University of South Alabama  
75 South University Boulevard, Mobile, AL 36608  
USA College of Education & Professional Studies Building  
Collaboratory #3240 |
| August 27, 2024| 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. | Alabama State University  
1625 Harris Way, Montgomery, AL 36106  
Alabama State University Ralph David Abernathy Hall |
| September 10, 2024| 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. | Athens State University  
412 East Pryor Street, Classroom Building, Room 104  
Athens, AL 35611 |

If you have any questions related to the public charter school authorizing process, please contact Dr. Margaret M. Jones at charterschools@alsde.edu or (334) 694-4994.

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