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MODERATOR

- Leeson Taylor, Superintendent Greenville Public Schools and President, *Mississippi Alliance of Black School Educators*

PRESENTER:

- Dr. Kent McGuire, President and CEO, *Southern Education Foundation*

PANELISTS:

- Joyce Helmick, Educator, *De Soto County* and President, *MS Association of Educators*
- Joyce Parker, Executive Director, *MS Delta Catalyst Roundtable*
- Etta Taplin, Former President, *Mississippi State School Board Association*
- Sanford Johnson, Deputy Director, *Mississippi First*



ESSA: Accountability & Stakeholder Engagement



Accountability under ESSA

- State-driven goals
- Additional Indicator
- Identifying schools for Interventions and supports

Stakeholder Engagement

- Law calls for engagement of stakeholders in key aspects of planning, development, and implementation.
- The reduced role of the federal government makes it all the more important to have an infrastructure for continuous improvement
- Meaningful and ongoing dialogue is critical in order to make equity a key focus of ESSA implementation

For more information, please see Read Ahead materials



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ESSA: Immediate Opportunities for Stakeholder Input

Mississippi Department of Education/State Board of Education

- On Tuesday, March 1, 2016, at 9:00 a.m., there will be a Meeting of the Mississippi Board of Education to discuss the MDE Five-Year Strategic Plan.
http://www.mde.k12.ms.us/docs/public-notice/public_notice_strategic_plan_20160223120452_645428.pdf?sfvrsn=2
 - Mississippi Public Broadcasting, 3825 Ridgewood Road, Jackson, Mississippi.
- Additional 2016 State Board of Education Meeting Dates
 - March 17, 2016
 - April 21, 2016
 - May 19, 2016
 - June 16, 2016

United States Department of Education

- The US DOE will be hosting listening sessions around the country
- Please look to www.ed.gov/essa for more information



Thank you for participating!

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