



South Carolina K-12 School Technology Initiative Committee Meeting Minutes

May 27, 2021

Attendees:

Andrew Epting, ADMIN	Jason Eckenstein, AT&T	Josh Shepard, Oconee
Karen Rumfelt, ADMIN	Jane Sosebee AT&T	Salandra Bowman, SCETV
Keith Osman, ADMIN	Elizabeth Carpentier, SDE	Dana Yow, EOC
Robert Nichols, ADMIN	Brian Pratt, SDE	Kirk Huggins, SEGRA
Sara Pincelli, ADMIN	Mark Leslie, Richland 1	Grady Sharp, AT&T
Brian Spittle, York 4		

Keith Osman Called Meeting to Order.

Minutes approved, Jane Sosebee (motion), Dana Yow (2nd)

Andrew Epting –

1. E-Rate update
 - a. Emergency Connectivity Fund- Has been approved by FCC.
 - b. South Carolina was 1 of 5 states that filed comments and was cited 14 times.
 - c. Many vendors such as Apple and Verizon referenced South Carolina's comments.
 - d. Thank you for all the thoughts and comments that were given on the filing.
 - e. Initial thought - Not to have schools or libraries file for funds unless there is a clear identifiable need.

Keith Osman – Principal Meeting

1. No date has been provided yet on Principals meeting. Betsy Carpentier will check on the request for a date and will advise.
2. Request for progress reports, data needs to be provided to Mike Shelton.
3. Requests for budget requests, forms are out. Be working on so information can be provided for Principal's meeting.

New Business-

None

Meeting Adjourned 9:10 a.m.