

# NEPF Liaison Update

Fall 2023

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*Effective educators serving all students is a Nevada priority. Effectiveness starts with being informed.  
The NEPF Liaison Update will be published periodically and is designed to provide comprehensive and timely information.*

## [Teachers and Leaders Council \(TLC\) Updates](#)

The TLC, the public body tasked with making recommendations to the State Board of Education (SBE) on the statewide evaluation system, the Nevada Educator Performance Framework (NEPF), met on September 27, 2023. All materials from the meeting can be found in the meeting materials on the TLC webpage.

Council members received an update on membership. TLC welcomed one new member, Annie Hicks, who represents the Regional Professional Development Programs (RPDP). The Department is working on filling the remaining vacant position, a person with expertise in public policy development relating to education who is appointed by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Members were also provided NEPF updates as well as information on potential changes to Nevada Administrative Code. Governor Joe Lombardo's Executive Order 3 tasked state agencies with identifying regulations that were no longer necessary and that could be removed from the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). In response, the Department proposed the removal of specific NEPF standard and indicator language from NAC 391.571 to 391.576 as it is not required to be in the NAC. There will be a public workshop at an upcoming State Board of Education meeting to discuss/approve the recommendation.

In alignment with [NRS Chapter 391.485](#), Council members also received a summary of NEPF educator effectiveness ratings for the 2022-23 school year and results from the annual NEPF Monitoring for Continuous Improvement surveys. Survey and ratings data will be shared and discussed with the District NEPF Liaisons at the annual interviews to be conducted in November and will be used to identify additional supports that the Department can provide to the districts to advance the goals of the NEPF.

## [Nevada Educator Performance Framework \(NEPF\) Updates](#)

For the first time since the implementation of the NEPF, the last legislative session, 2023, ended without any changes being made to the implementation of the NEPF. Resource documents and evaluation tools are posted on the NEPF webpage (linked above).

The Department conducted the annual NEPF Monitoring for Continuous Improvement interviews with the District Liaisons in November 2023. Feedback from the interviews will be shared with the TLC at the next meeting in February.

## [Nevada Department of Education \(NDE\) Updates](#)

The Department met with district NEPF Liaisons on October 2, 2023. Liaisons were provided with a recap of the TLC meeting and Department/ NEPF updates. The TLC meeting was scheduled for November 29, 2023, was

canceled; however, rather than cancel the December NEPF Liaison meeting, the Department hosted office hours to discuss any concerns or questions the districts had regarding NEPF implementation. The current list of [district NEPF Liaisons](#) can be found on the NEPF webpage.

Tina Statucki, the Education Programs Professional overseeing the NEPF, retired from the Department in August but continues working for the Department as contractor, through January 2024, to assist with onboarding her replacement, Kathryn Hoyt ([kathryn.hoyt@doe.nv.gov](mailto:kathryn.hoyt@doe.nv.gov)). Ms. Hoyt began working for the Department on December 4, 2023.

In addition, the Nevada Department of Education’s website recently went through a major transformation. As a result, many of the links to resources on the website changed. It is recommended that links to any of the NDE NEPF webpages and resources be reviewed and linked directly to the NEPF main webpage: <https://doe.nv.gov/educator-development-and-support/nevada-educator-performance-frameworknepf/>.

### Future TLC and Liaison Meeting Dates

TLC meetings are generally held the last Wednesday of the month at 2 PM (except as otherwise indicated\*). Corresponding NEPF Liaison meetings are held the following Monday at 10 AM.

| <b>Teachers and Leaders Council</b> | <b>NEPF Liaisons</b>            |
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| November 29, 2023 (Canceled)        | December 4, 2023 (Office Hours) |
| February 28, 2024                   | March 4, 2024                   |
| April 24, 2024                      | April 29, 2024                  |

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