



GOVERNOR'S STEM ADVISORY COUNCIL

dedicated to building a strong STEM education foundation for all Iowans

Northeast Iowa STEM Advisory Board Meeting

Wednesday, January 17, 2024

11:00AM to 1:00PM

LOCATION: Virtual

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AGENDA

- A. Welcome – Allison
- B. Communications Working Group - Marla
- C. STEM Council Youth Advisory Committee – Allison
- D. STEM for All Committee – Anderson
- E. Budget/Expenditures – FY24 December YTD
- F. Review Semi-Annual Report
- G. Scale-Up Programs
 - a. Update on FY24 awards
 - b. FY25 programs
 - c. Marketing FY25 programs
 - d. New application process
- H. STEM BEST applications
- I. IOWA STEM Teacher Award
- J. STEM Festivals
 - a. Report on Manchester festival
 - b. Cedar Falls – March 19
 - c. Dubuque – April 18
- K. Iowa STEM Council Updates
- L. Update from Board Members

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Upcoming Events:

- January 17 Northeast Iowa Regional STEM Advisory Board meeting
- January 22 Math Standards Listening Session at Central Rivers AEA
- February 28 Deadline for Scale-Up application
- March 19 Cedar Valley Family STEM Festival
- April 1 Workplace + Classroom Summit
- April 18 Dubuque Area Family STEM Festival

STEM Committees:

Scale-Up Program Selection

Review period: September – October

Time commitment: approximately 15-20 hours

Evaluate proposals of STEM program providers who want their PK-12 program to be on the Iowa STEM Scale-Up program menu for 2023-24

Current committee members (7): Doreen Hayek, Allison Plunkett, Heather Fransen, Barb Ehlers, Jason Martin-Hiner, Jeanette Moore-Loggins, and Michelle Meier

IOWA STEM Teacher Award Selection

Review period: November-December

Time commitment: approximately 3-12 hours

Evaluate nominations/applications to select the IOWA STEM Teacher awardees. Six educators selected (one per region).

Current committee members (5): Lisa Chizek, Larry Escalada, Jeff Jacobs, Anderson Sainci, and Jeanette Moore-Loggins

STEM BEST Selection

Review period: December – January

Time commitment: approximately 3-12 hours.

Evaluate applications for Iowa STEM Business Engaging Students and Teachers (BEST) proposals from across the state. Proposals provide you a chance to work with business partners on real-world projects.

Current committee members (5): Bev Berns, Doreen Hayek, Marcy Seavey, Jeanette Moore-Loggins, and Allison Plunkett

Scale-Up Awardee Selection

Review period: March

Time commitment: approximately 2-4 hours

Evaluate applications submitted by educators throughout region requesting Scale-Up programs on the 2023-24 menu.

Current committee members (15): All board members

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