



**Technology Advisory Committee
Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology
February 10, 2011**

Attendance

Bill Fearigo	Barberton City Schools	Matthew Gdovin	NEOnet
Deb Muccio	Buckeye Local Schools	Chris Zolla	NEOnet
Lance Green	Copley-Fairlawn City Schools	Tim Tracy	NEOnet
Kelly Kendrick	Coventry Local Schools	Kim Fassnacht	NEOnet
Pat McKinney	Cuyahoga Falls City Schools		
Dave Wallis	Cuyahoga Heights Local Schools		
Kim Brueck	Green Local Schools		
Marc Stauffer	Green Local Schools		
Courtney Baliman	Kent City Schools		
Joe Luscre	Kent City Schools		
Scott Ross	Manchester Local Schools		
Jim Filipic	Maple Heights City Schools		
Denise Valerio	Medina County ESC		
Anthony Luscre	Mogadore Local Schools		
Angie Wagler	Norton City Schools		
Leon McCombs	Portage Lakes Career Center		
Ryan Lekan	Revere Local Schools		
Dustin Boswell	Springfield Local Schools		
Richard Ott	St. Sebastian		
John Guyer	Summit Academy		
David Jones	Summit County ESC		
Kurt Gwin	Tallmadge City Schools		
Jennifer Farthing	Twinsburg City Schools		
Phil Luthman	Woodridge Local Schools		
Eric Unangst	Woodridge Local Schools		

Items Discussed

Technology Advisory Committee Minutes

The January 6, 2011 minutes are available on the NEOnet website.

NEOnet Network

- [Portal.neonet.org](http://portal.neonet.org) – Chris Zolla demonstrated and asked for feedback on NEOnet’s new portal, which is still under development.
- [Google Apps Speed Issue](#) – the issue with the firewall has been resolved and performance has improved.
- [EmpowerID Update](#) – 9 districts have been updated and several more are scheduled this week.
 - AD Cleanup – Before the project can be completed, all districts are being asked to clean up their active directory. An export of each AD will be sent to districts.
 - Complex Passwords – beginning next school year, complex passwords will be required.

Cisco Switch Training

The group was given two options for Cisco Switch Training:

- Onsite Training – 2 day session taught by MCPc. Cost would depend on participation. If you are interested, please contact Chris Zolla at zolla@neonet.org.
- Computer Based Training with group discussion – cost would be less than onsite, but not as beneficial as the hands-on option.

Technical Support Specialist

NEOnet has posted a position for a Technical Software Support Specialist. The posting can be found at http://www.neonetda.org/Job_Opportunities/Technical_Software_Support_Specialist.pdf.

Facility

Matt Gdovin gave an overview of a possible facility NEOnet is interested in leasing in Richfield. There will be a joint meeting between NEOnet/Superintendents/Treasurers before any decisions will be made.

NEOnet School District Picture Policy

A handout with the revised NEOnet School District Picture Policy was given to attendees. The secure FTP site to upload pictures to is sftp.neonet.org.

Technology and Curriculum Directors Joint Meeting

The joint meeting with the Curriculum directors will be February 17, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 17 of the Summit County ESC.

E-Tech Phone Conference – Steve Crumbacher

- This year's E-Tech Ohio conference was a great success.
- E-Tech Ohio conference presenter's notes can be found at <http://communities.etech.ohio.gov/planner>. Click on the session you are interested in and the handouts will be listed at the bottom.
- The Technology Spring Institute will be 2 days this year. It will be held May 6th and 13th in various locations throughout Ohio. The deadline for proposals to present is March 4th.

NEOtech

The committee asked for volunteers to help at the NEOtech conference on March 18, 2011. Please contact Angie Wagler, Courtney Baliman or Scott Ross if interested.

Next Technology Meeting

The next Technology Advisory Committee meeting is scheduled to be held March 3, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 17 of the Summit County ESC.

A legal presentation on Acceptable Use Policies is scheduled during the March meeting. Lunch will be provided.