

**Technology Advisory Committee
 Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology
 March 1, 2018**

ATTENDANCE

Bill Fearigo	Barberton City Schools	Matt Gdovin	NEOnet
Michele Gasser	Barberton City Schools	Chris Zolla	NEOnet
Ron Hollas	Breakthrough Schools	Tim Tracy	NEOnet
Lance Green	Copley-Fairlawn Schools	Ben Heller	NEOnet
Kelly Kendrick	Coventry Local Schools	JC Williams	NEOnet
Jim Marras	Cuyahoga Falls City Schools	Lilian Johnson	NEOnet
Denise Valerio	ESC of Medina Co	Amanda O'Mara	NEOnet
Marc Clendaniel	Green Local Schools		
Stephanie Swiderski	Hudson City School District		
Courtney Baliman	Kent City School District		
Alex Mier	Kent City School District		
Darcy Sentowsky	Maple Heights City Schools		
Jennifer Milnes	Maplewood Career Center		
Ryan O'Cull	Medina Co ESC		
Jeremy Woodworth	Mentor Public Schools		
Angie Wagler	Norton City Schools		
Laura Bell	Revere Local Schools		
Kim Krajcovic	St Augustine		
Cody Lyons	Stow-Munroe Falls City Schools/NEOnet		
Nancy Butts	Summit Academy		
Tom Jansen	Summit Co ESC		
Kurt Gwin	Tallmadge City Schools		

Items Discussed

Minutes - The February minutes are posted on the NEOnet website.

Software & Applications Rubric – Handout available for attendees.

Personal Information Protection Agreement – Jim Marras sent out information on how districts could deal with intruders. More information can be found on the NEOnet website under Technical Services.

NEOnet Organizational Update

March Board of Directors Meeting – The March Board of Directors Meeting to be held on March 6, 2018. Among topics to be discussed are Microsoft licenses, 2 (two) new job descriptions, amending 3 (three) employee agreements, etc. A special meeting to be held the end of March.

Security Bundle – Jim Marras to present to Board about the benefits and reasons to switch to Securly. Securly was the first choice with a cost of \$1.50 per student. The Tech Advisory Committee will make the recommendations to move forward.

Finance Committee – The Finance Committee met on February 28th. Topics discussed were increase of Securly cost. One option was to increase security bundle cost. The security bundle fee will be finalized at the next Finance meeting. Currently, Firewall is part of the security bundle. The committee also discussed FY19 budget and the increase of healthcare cost.

3rd Quarter Cyber Security Briefing – April 25, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.

Cyber Liability Insurance – AJ Gallagher will present at the briefing. He will have costs for school districts available at the meeting. He will walk districts through the steps to obtain Cyber Liability Insurance.

End-User Security Awareness Training – There will be KNOWB4 trainings available. Districts are encouraged to send phishing emails to their staff. The Treasurers Committee meeting will follow immediately after the Cyber Security Briefing.

Legislative and Legal Updates

HB360 Anti-bullying and Hazing (Greenspan D) – The bill is to enact the “Ohio Anti-Bullying and Hazing Act” with regard to school discipline and hazing policies at public schools and public colleges.

HB512 Consolidate Career-Education Governance (Reineke W) – The bill is to establish the Department of Learning and Achievement; to abolish the Department of Higher Education, the position of the Chancellor of Higher Education, and the Ohio Board of Regents; to transfer, with exceptions, the duties regarding the administration of primary and secondary education programs and all duties regarding the administration of higher education programs to the Department of Learning and Achievement; and to prescribe certain duties regarding educator licensure, community school sponsorship, and other education programs for the State Board of Education, Superintendent of Public

Instruction, and Department of Education. The Ohio Department of Education (ODE) will exist, however shift to the Department of Learning and Achievement. The Governor will appoint who will oversee the Department of Learning and Achievement.

Compliance – COPPA/CIPA/FERPA Presentation – Matt McGing to present at the Tech Advisory meeting in May about social media archiving. Also, NEOnet will coordinate for a law firm to do a compliance presentation.

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Securly Update – Chris Zolla spoke with Securly regarding issues with SSL traffic not getting through. Single sign on is the way to go. Working on document regarding differences between Securly and Lightspeed to be shareable with districts. Would like to have a decision by May assembly meeting.

DDOS Strategy – Largest attack ever and districts didn't know. The district that was being attacked didn't really notice a difference. Single policies are working and are limiting UDP traffic.

Lightspeed – Preventing Filter Bypass – If a student is using VPN can block their IPS access for 15 minutes. This is beneficial for larger districts. Ben Heller will be sending out information to districts on how to set up.

Next Gen Firewall – The next firewall update will be part of the summer deployment.

Fabric Interconnect Maintenance – 3/9/18 – Nonessentials will be shut down, everything live will be migrated to the DR site. So far, testing has been successful. The maintenance should be completed Friday night or at the very latest Saturday morning. An email reminder will be sent.

NEOTech Conference – March 22, 2018

Currently, over 400 attendees registered. An email to all attendees will be sent on March 12, 2018 regarding parking, lunch, schedule, etc. Also, discussion for NEOTech next year has begun. A change in venue is possible as well as having a 2-day event. Stay tuned.

Technology Integration Discussion

There are weekly Tech Integration trainings available. To register for tech trainings go to <http://training.neonet.org>. Trainings are typically on Tuesdays and Thursdays. There will be a Tech Integration Committee meeting on May 8th to gear up for July 1st. Professional Development will be available this summer, contact JC Williams for more information at williams@neonet.org.

The next Technology Advisory Committee Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 12, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.