

**Technology Advisory Committee  
Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology  
November 6, 2014**

**Attendance**

Bill Fearigo	Barberton City Schools	Matt Gdovin	NEOnet
Michele Gasser	Barberton City Schools	Chris Zolla	NEOnet
Kathy Verhest	Brunswick City Schools	Marie Schmidt	NEOnet
Lance Green	Copley-Fairlawn City Schools	Kim Fassnacht	NEOnet
Kelly Kendrick	Coventry Local Schools	Tim Tracy	NEOnet
Debbie Newcome	Cuyahoga Falls City Schools		
Colby Byrom	EMG		
Marc Clendaniel	Green Local Schools		
Casey Ailiff	Kent City Schools		
Courtney Baliman	Kent City Schools		
Jennifer Milnes	Maplewood Career Center		
Denise Valerio	Medina County ESC		
Kyle Livengood	Nordonia Hills City Schools		
Angie Wagler	Norton City Schools		
Jennette Kane	Orange City Schools		
Laura Bell	Revere Local Schools		
David Mog	Richmond Heights Local Schools		
Dustin Boswell	Springfield Local Schools		
Paul Doxsey	Summit Academy		
John Guyer	Summit Academy		
Kurt Gwin	Tallmadge City Schools		
Matt McGing	Twinsburg City Schools		
Eric Unangst	Woodridge Local Schools		

**Items Discussed****Welcome**

The minutes from the October 2, 2014 meeting will be available on the NEOnet website.

**November BOD and Assembly Meeting Update**

An overview of the BOD and Assembly meeting was given. Highlights included:

- Financial update
- Alert Now emergency notification service for NEOnet outages
- Cherwell – new helpdesk is up and running
- Tyler Munis – finance committee is evaluating
- MCOECN code of conduct resolution was passed

**FCC Program Update**

The E-Rate modernization order – all information is available at <http://www.usac.org/sl/tools/modernization-order/default.aspx>.

**PARCC Readiness**

- Testing Calendars – Eric Unangst will create a shared calendar so that each district can input their testing dates. This will ensure that the NEOnet staff is aware of each date and will be available to assist with any technical issues, if needed.
- Load testing – a discussion is needed regarding how bandwidth load testing will be done prior to the actual testing dates.
- There will be a dedicated HelpDesk line to NEOnet during testing.

## **NEOnet Network**

- 10G Router Upgrade – this was done in October and is functioning well. Time Warner will be installing an additional 1G at the DR site, allowing for better load balancing.
- Symantec Anti-Virus Group Purchase – a renewal quote will be sent out soon.
- Smartnet Group Purchase –To add any equipment, send the serial number and device model information to Marie Schmidt at [Schmidt@neonet.org](mailto:Schmidt@neonet.org) to obtain a quote.
- Lightspeed Update – the problems were due to load balancing.
  - Hardware – new hardware will be installed
  - Installation Timeframe – should be deployed in the next 2-3 weeks.
  - YouTube
- Cherwell Helpdesk – the new helpdesk has been implemented. There are videos and documentation available on the NEOnet website at <http://www.neonet.org/content/support>.
- Fire Suppression System – has been approved by the BOD and will be installed in the server room.

## **e-Tech/ODE – Mike Edwards**

Mike was unavailable for this meeting.

## **Next Technology Meeting**

The next Technology Advisory Committee meeting is scheduled to be held December 4, 2014.