

GEER II SNS Welcome Meeting

ESC of Central Ohio(ESCCO)

November 30, 2023



educational service center
of Central Ohio



ESC of Central Ohio | Staff

Leadership Team

- Tom Goodney,
Superintendent
- Gale Marsh,
Deputy Superintendent



EANS Team

- David Varda,
Treasurer/CFO
- Christy George,
Fiscal Supervisor
- Kevin Scott,
EANS Consultant



GEER II SNS

- Federal Funds-Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund (GEER)
- Period of availability-
 - October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024
 - Obligated by September 30, 2024 and Liquidated by December 31, 2024 (DEW)
 - Liquidated by ESCCO-December 15, 2024 (invoices to the ESCCO by December 1, 2024)



GEER II SNS (continued)

- State Education Agency (SEA) required to provide services to Non-Public Schools (NPS)
 - SEA is Ohio Department of Education & Workforce (DEW) for the State of Ohio
 - DEW contracting with Educational Service Centers (ESCs) in Ohio to provide the services on their behalf



GEER II SNS (continued)

- Activities to be Performed by ESC through Agreement
 - ESCCO Performs Services under the control and supervision of DEW
 - The ESCCO has entered into Memoranda of Understanding with Northwest Ohio ESC and North Point ESC to manage NPS assigned to their ESCs by Ohio DEW.
 - ESCCO after consultation with Non-Public Schools (NPS) **will determine** the manner and method of providing services.



ESCCO Process

- ESCCO/DEW Agreement and MOUS with other ESCs commenced October 1, 2023
 - Services Provided must begin on this date or after
 - Goods/Equipment purchased must be after this date
- ESCCO invoices DEW and other ESCs where applicable for any of the above allowable expenditures
- Consultation with NPS
 - David Varda
 - Kevin Scott (staffing)
 - Christy George (purchasing and contracted services)
 - Review approve application to determines needs
- ESCCO will create a page on the website:
 - www.escco.org/EANS
 - Resources such as forms, DEW and USDOE guidelines, etc.



ESCCO Process (continued)

- Services-Instructional or otherwise
- ESCCO contract with service providers
 - Service Providers currently working with NPS would be eligible but would need to contract with ESCCO
- ESCCO to employ personnel to meet need
 - ESCCO will consider individuals identified by NPS
 - Any individual employed by the ESCCO would have to meet onboarding requirements
 - » Licensure
 - » Background Check-FBI/BCI
 - » Other employment onboarding requirements



ESCCO Process (continued)

- Goods or Products
 - ESCCO Purchasing Procedures
 - Governed by Ohio Revised Code
 - Governing Board Policies and Administrative Regulations/Procedures
 - Purchases \$50,000 and above (two or more quotes required)



Questions?

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