

Treasure Coast Workgroup
(Martin, Okeechobee, Palm Beach, St. Lucie)
11:30 – 1:30pm
Okeechobee County School Board Offices
700 SW 2nd Avenue
Okeechobee, FL 34974

(note: light lunch and refreshments will be available)

TENTATIVE AGENDA

1. Status of Treasure Coast workgroup priorities
2. Preview of 2017 Regular Session
 - A. “Big Picture” issues Affecting Session and Education
 - B. Budget – Revenue Projections (operating and capital)
 - C. Education Bills/Issues “on the move”
3. Discussion of TCw Legislative Recommendations for updating
4. Federal Update
 - A. ESSA – rulemaking, state and federal (House Joint Resolution 58 that would nullify rules adopted October 31st under the Obama Administration for teacher preparation and HJR57 that would roll back rules on student accountability and state plans, adopted November 29th)
 - B. US-ED statements of withdrawing policy and guidance requiring access to sex-segregated facilities based on gender identity
 - C. Appropriations – Continuing Resolution- March 31
 - D. Perkins reauthorization (HR5587 - Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act-Thompson)
 - E. Child Nutrition Act reauthorization (HR5003 -Improving Child Nutrition and Education Act of 2016-Rokita)
5. Member Topics/Issues
6. Set next meeting date (during or at conclusion of regular session)