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TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Philip C. Cleveland *PCC*
 Interim State Superintendent of Education

RE: State At-Risk Funds Allocated for Fiscal Year 2017

The FY 2017 State At-Risk funds have been allocated to the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) and will be distributed to local education agencies (LEAs) for at-risk programs, alternative education programs, school safety enhancement programs, and programs to prevent students from dropping out of school.

The LEA may receive FY 2017 funds by submitting plan components and budget pages as found in the State At-Risk Plan document and by completing an evaluation of FY 2016 programs.

At-risk program funds will not be disbursed until the LEA has a complete FY 2017 State At-Risk Plan on file in the ALSDE. These allocations must not supplant any funds already allocated for at-risk programs, alternative education programs, school safety enhancement programs, and remediation programs for students to become high school graduates.

The plan and related documents have been posted on the ALSDE Web site at <http://www.alsde.edu/sec/pss/Pages/suicideprevention-all.aspx?navtext=Prevention/Intervention>. The at-risk training presentation, plan, and allocations are posted as separate documents. These postings will provide direct access to the forms needed to complete the plan. Mail the completed plan to Ms. Charlene Thomas at the following address:

Alabama State Department of Education
 Prevention and Support Services Section
 P. O. Box 302101
 Montgomery, Alabama 36130-2101

Please return your plan for the FY 2017 allocations as soon as possible, **but no later than Friday, September 16, 2016**. If you need clarification or have questions regarding at-risk program funds, please contact Dr. Marilyn Lewis at telephone number (334) 242-8165 or via e-mail at mlewis@alsde.edu. Please do not e-mail the plan.

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