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PUBLIC HEARINGS ON PROPOSED CHANGES TO
ALABAMA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE
290-8-9, Special Education Services

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Montgomery, Ala. — The Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE), Special Education Services, will conduct two additional public hearings on the proposed changes to the *Alabama Administrative Code* (AAC), 290-8-9, Special Education Services. The purpose of the hearing is to allow public comment on the proposed changes, as required by the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act* and the implementing regulations.

Each person will be allowed to make a two-minute public comment. If persons have additional comments, we encourage them to provide written comments to the address indicated below.

The public hearings will be held from 4:30-6:30 p.m. at the following locations: (Directions below)

Location	Address	DATE
Saraland	Saraland High School Performing Arts Center 1115 Industrial Parkway Saraland, AL 36571	October 29, 2015
Cullman	Cullman City High School Auditorium 510 13th St NE Cullman, AL 35055	November 4, 2015

The proposed changes to the AAC may be downloaded from the Special Education Services page at <https://www.alsde.edu/sec/ses/Pages/home.aspx>. Select *Policy* from menu on the right side of the page. Next, select the *Proposed AAC Changes October 2015* file and follow the directions for download.

The proposed changes to the AAC in print format may be requested by contacting Ms. Crystal Richardson at (334) 242-8114 or sesaac@alsde.edu.

Written comments may be submitted to sesaac@alsde.edu. Comments must be submitted no later than November 15, 2015. Individuals will have an additional opportunity to provide public comment on the proposed changes once presented to the State Board of Education in the Spring of 2016.

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CODE - 290-8-9, *Special Education Services***

Directions to Saraland High School

Saraland High School-October 29, 2015

(251) 602-8970

From the north (on US-45 / AL-17)

- Depart US-45 / AL-17 toward Arden Rd
6.5 mi.
Take ramp left and follow signs for AL-158 East
- 3.1 mi.
Arrive at 1115 Industrial Pkwy, Saraland, AL
The last intersection is AL-213 / Shelton Beach Rd. If you reach Knapp Dr, you've gone too far

From the south (on I-65 N)

- Depart I-65 N
- 12.0 mi.
At exit 13, take ramp right for AL-213 / AL-158 toward Citronelle / Saraland
- 0.6 mi.
Turn right onto AL-158 E / AL-213 E
- 0.3 mi.
Arrive at 1115 Industrial Pkwy., Saraland, AL 36571

Directions to Cullman High School

Cullman High School-November 4, 2015

From the north (on I-65 S)

- Depart I-65 S
At exit 310, take ramp right for AL-157 toward Cullman/Moulton
- 0.3 mi.
Turn left onto AL-157
Pass KFC in 0.5 mi.
- 3.0 mi.
Turn right onto Eva Rd. NE
- 1.3 mi
Turn right onto 13th St. NE / Heitmueller Rd.
- 306 ft.

Arrive at 510 13th St NE, Cullman, AL

From the south (on I-65 N)

Depart I-65 N

- 2.6 mi.
At exit 310, take ramp right for AL-157 toward Cullman / Moulton
- 0.2 mi.
Turn right onto AL-157
- 2.9 mi.
Turn right onto Eva Rd. NE
- 1.3 mi.
Turn right onto 13th St. NE / Heitmueller Rd
- 306 ft.
Arrive at 510 13th St. NE, Cullman, AL

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