January 15, 2016

MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education
FROM: Thomas R. Bice
State Superintendent of Education
RE: Network for Alabama Teaching Fellows (NATF) Surveys

The Network for Alabama Teaching Fellows (NATF) is an outcome of a collaboration between the Alabama State Department of Education, Alabama Education Association, and A+ Education Partnership. The goal of the NATF is to provide opportunities for educators to help shape current and future educational policies and practices in Alabama. To this end, the NATF has developed a survey to help gather the opinions of Alabama’s educators relating to professional development, school climate and professional support, college- and career-ready standards implementation, and fiscal concerns and/or roadblocks to success.

To help with this endeavor, all educators are encouraged to respond honestly to the survey found at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/AlabamaFellows. Please be assured your responses are completely anonymous, and no identifying information will be collected from this survey. The survey responses will be accepted until February 5, 2016.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Dr. Miranda Bisso at mbisso@alsde.edu or 334-242-9742.

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cc: Elementary, Middle, and High School Principals

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