

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members, Utah State Board of Education

FROM: Scott Jones
Deputy Superintendent of Operations

DATE: May 12-13, 2016

INFORMATION: Progress on the Hiring of a Compliance Officer for Federal Grants Management and Status of the Grants Management System at State Finance—H.B. 329

Background:

The Utah State Board of Education received permission to fund and hire a Federal Grants Compliance Officer during the current State Fiscal Year (SFY). The Utah State Legislature approved funding (HB 329) for the State Finance Office to develop a Grants Management System at their level.

Board Strategic Plan:

This item supports the following imperative(s) and strategies in the Board's Strategic Plan:

- System Values
 - Funding
 - Oversight

Anticipated Action:

This is information only to provide an update on the progress towards hiring a Federal Grants Compliance Officer and the progress towards implementation of the Grants Management System at the State Finance Office level.

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