

COMMISSIONER'S
RURAL EDUCATION COUNCIL



Wednesday, April 20, 2022

LOCATION: Garfield 16 - Grand Valley Middle school
364 Sipprelle Dr, Battlement Mesa, CO 81635

TIME: 12:00 - 3:00PM

Join Zoom Meeting

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12:00 p.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Lunch
12:15 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Welcome, Introductions, Overview of Agenda
12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	The coordinated responses and available resources to address educator shortages in our rural school districts and BOCES (Colleen O’Neil)
1:00 p.m. –1:30 p.m.	READ act hardship; Preschool’s new requirements (Melissa Colzman)
1:30 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Creating Pathways for Spanish speaking parent engagement (Darcy Hutchins & Milcah Hawk)
2:10 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	Commissioner: Hot Topics
2:50 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Summary of work, next steps, agenda planning for next meeting, connecting with the Commissioner
3:00 p.m.	Adjournment

Next Meeting: July 2022

The purpose of the Rural Education Council is to provide advice and counsel to the Commissioner of Education and the Colorado Department of Education on issues unique to rural school districts.