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TRANSPORTATION SUMMIT

Monday, June 6, 2016

10:00 A.M.

Ramkota Hotel, Casper, Wyoming

After several lengthy discussions at our WHSAA Board of Directors Meeting on April 26, 2016 concerning ways to reduce travel and lost school time for students, the WHSAA Board and Staff would like to assemble all stakeholders to formulate best practices and strategies with a goal to maintain the 100% travel reimbursement.

We believe it to be beneficial to bring Superintendents, Principals, Activities Directors and any other district stakeholders (business managers, transportation directors, school board members, etc.) you believe to be important in accomplishing this goal. To have an open dialogue with all groups will demonstrate to the Legislature that we understand the budget crunch is real and we, as an educational family, are capable of assisting in identifying reasonable reductions to the travel issues being raised.

During the past couple of years, we have been requesting that activities directors document the strategies in each of their districts as to how they have been reducing travel and lost school time for students. We see this Summit as being three pronged. First, sharing those best practices of what reductions have been utilized the past few years. Second, what each school district is considering doing during the upcoming year. Finally, what strategies can we collectively develop for the future?

The WHSAA will provide lunch and we should be completed with the Summit in the 2:00-2:30 p.m. range. The Ramkota will be offering the school rate for any necessary room stays.

Please fill out the questionnaire attached to this email and return to the WHSAA office by Friday, May 20, 2016. We will compile a list of information received in regard to the first two prongs mentioned above. We believe there will be several strategies already being implemented that will be beneficial to the group.

We will send out a registration form at a later date to allow you some time to decide which district representatives you would send as positive contributors to the Summit.

We need your school district to be an active participant in this proactive meeting process!