

INTERAGENCY COUNCIL FOR ENDING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP

Lieutenant Governor Susan Bysiewicz, Chair

**Monday, July 19, 2021
1:30 to 3:30 p.m.**

Livestreaming on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/HsyYCMY87n0>

Meeting Objectives:

- To review progress and updates from the last meeting held on March 17, 2021.
- To seek additional commentary from members on three Result Statements from the Achievement Gap Task Force Master Plan.
- To identify next meeting date, topics, potential guests and follow-up needed.

Agenda

I. Opening Remarks & Roll Call

The Honorable Susan Bysiewicz, Lieutenant Governor, State of Connecticut

II. Acceptance of Minutes and Follow-up from Last Meeting Discussion

[March 17, 2021](#) (meeting minutes)

III. Annual Report of the Interagency Council for Ending the Achievement Gap

Section [10-16nn\(b\)\(3\)](#) of the Connecticut General Statutes

IV. Agencies' Response to AGTF Master Plan

a. Inside Higher Education: *Leaders that Close the Gap: Administrator Preparation and Development*

Stephen J. Hegedus, Ph.D., Dean, College of Education, Southern Connecticut State University

b. Inside Higher Education: *Highly Effective Teacher Preparation Programs*

Stephen J. Hegedus, Ph.D., Dean, College of Education, Southern Connecticut State University

c. Inside the Schoolhouse: *Principal and Teacher Hiring and Retention for Schools that Demonstrate Persistent Gaps*

Charlene Russell-Tucker, Acting Commissioner, Connecticut State Department of Education

V. Next Steps

- **2021 Meeting Schedule**
September 22, 2021
December 15, 2021
- **Follow-up, if necessary**

VI. Closing/Meeting Adjourned