

MAISA Collaboration Project Purpose

This project will help coordinate and focus the developmental activities of MAISA ISDs/RESAs to meet the immediate needs of our members and their constituents with timely and high quality products/programs which will address emerging issues without duplicating effort and resources.

Deliverables

- Create a process for ISD/RESAs to bring forward issues for consideration for collaboration and collaborative work.
- Create a process for determination of what work will move forward as a collaborative project/activity
- Create a process for gathering information, ideas, needs in a proactive manner reflective of emerging trends/issues
- Liaison/interact with established MAISA regions, committees and other education groups to identify areas of collaboration and development.
- Create efficiencies through collaboration and make MAISA more effective in increasing programs and services for constituents.
- Develop timelines and scope of work
- Keep MAISA leadership/membership regularly informed and advised about the project /work being done and the anticipated delivery date



Tasks Delivered:

Decision Making Chart Process

A decision making protocol has been developed for use in deciding on collaborative projects. There are four major steps for consideration in our process. The chart illustrates those considerations and a detailed template is available.

Collected Current Collaborative Initiatives (Matrix)

The Matrix provides information on collaborative initiative projects, purpose, process, project distribution, funding sources, timelines and contact information.

Made connections with associations and consortiums

Initial contacts have been made with ISDs/RESAs, associations, and consortiums

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Web site links for documents



Decision Making Tree

www.michiganedusource.org



Current Collaborative Initiatives

www.michiganedusource.org



MAISA Michigan EDU SOURCE

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Next Steps and Timelines

- Ongoing – communicate resources and collaboration opportunities
- June 17th 2010 Summer MAISA Conference
1-4 pm Collaborative sharing
Planning for future collaboration
National, State and local perspective
Making decisions on future projects