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MEMORANDUM NO. 2017-072

TO: District Superintendents

Curriculum Directors

Principals K-6 Teachers

Middle and High School Science Teachers

FROM: Lisa Weigel, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: May 22, 2017

SUBJECT: Wyoming Science Standards Workshop

WYOMING SCIENCE STANDARDS WORKSHOP

The Wyoming Department of Education invites K-12 science teachers to participate in a two-day professional development on August 10-11, 2017 in Riverton, Wyoming. The workshop will provide an opportunity to:

- Understand the organizational structure of the 2016 Wyoming Science and Content Standards
- Engage in lessons that utilize 3-dimensional instruction (crosscutting concepts, disciplinary core ideas, and science and engineering practices)
- Experience bundling science standards
- Evaluate and modify lessons to align to the standards
- Collaborate with grade band teachers to create a network of support

Registration for the workshop is available <u>online</u>, and limited to 15 members per grade band (K-5, 6-8, 9-12). Confirmation of registration will be sent to participants starting June 1, 2017. Attendees will earn 1 PTSB credit.

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