**UEN Steering Committee Meeting Agenda**

**May 14, 2021, 10 – 11:30am**

**1201 63rd Street, Des Moines, IA, 50311 or
Via Zoom (contact** **jen@iowaschoolfinance.com** **for link)**

**UEN Purpose Statement:**

*The Urban Education Network keeps the state’s lawmakers, the media, and the public informed about the progress and problems in our state’s largest and most diverse schools. The organization does this through advocacy, legislation, communications and research.*

*The UEN also helps to build capacity in urban education by facilitating connections between member districts to improve student academic performance and narrow achievement gaps, improve professional development; and strengthen leadership, governance, and management.*

*In addition, joint efforts with other state organizations and policymakers extend the UEN’s influence and effectiveness outside member school districts to the broader community that will ultimately benefit from the contributions of today’s urban students.*

*All members of the Urban Education Network help determine program priorities. For guidance, the members rely upon data retrieved from local, state, regional and national sources.  In addition, specific issues arise addressing contemporary events, legislative concerns and current trends. The priorities of the UEN continually evolve, reflecting the changing needs of urban students, families and communities.*

1. **Welcome, Call to Order by Vicki Murillo (UEN Chair)**
2. **Approval of Agenda**
3. **Approval of Minutes** from February 11, 2021 Steering Committee Meeting
4. **YTD Financial Statements**
5. **Audit Services for fiscal year ending June 30, 2021**
6. **Corporate Sponsorships FY 2022**
7. **Budget & Dues Schedule for FY 2022**
8. **Steering Committee Membership Changes July 1, 2020, Subcommittee Assignments (By-laws Subcommittee, Membership Recruitment Subcommittee, Other) & Meeting FY 2022 Schedule**
9. **Legislative Update & Status of UEN 2021 Legislative Priorities**
10. **The Good Work of UEN districts: Collecting stories about UEN work worthy of posting on the UEN website brag page**
11. **Other Business**
12. **Upcoming Meeting Dates**
13. **Adjourn**