

**MEETING
OF THE
LOUISIANA OFFICE OF STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
ADVISORY BOARD**

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2024

10:30 am

**Galvez Building
1st Floor Conference Center
Oliver Pollock Room
602 North 5th Street
Baton Rouge, LA 70802**

(In the event a quorum of the members is not achieved, in accordance with the Bylaws of the LOSFA Advisory Board, the Executive Committee of the Advisory Board may meet to act upon items on this agenda.)

AGENDA

Roll Call

Introductions and Announcements

Minutes

Public Comment

Program Updates

Old Business

1. That the LOSFA Advisory Board consider publication of final rule to implement Act 633 and Act 102 of the 2024 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.
2. That the Advisory Board consider publication of final rule to amend Sections 301, 704, 804, 1203, and to delete Chapter 13.

New Business

3. That the LOSFA Advisory Board consider rulemaking to implement provisions of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2021 that provide that the Chafee ETV shall be awarded without regard to financial need.
4. That the Advisory Board consider the attached request for exception to the Regional Contract Program requirement that a student begin the obligation to work in Louisiana or to repay the amount received within 6 months of completing their program of study.
5. That the LOSFA Advisory Board consider the attached requests for exception to the TOPS statutory provision that requires a student to begin a home study program no later than the conclusion of the tenth grade.
6. That the Advisory Board consider the attached requests for exception to the TOPS regulatory provisions that require students to remain continuously enrolled and to earn the annual credit hours required during the academic year and to the M.J. Foster requirement that a student maintain continuous enrollment in school.

Adjournment

Act 633 – Gradually reduces the minimum age of eligibility for the M.J. Foster Promise Program Act 102 – M.J. Foster Promise Program - Increases the maximum amount that may be appropriated, Advisory Council shall be called by Workforce Commission, and provides the term “one-year” be defined. Act 211 – Adds Computer Science as a graduation and TOPS Core Curricula requirement.
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