**RSAI Leadership Group Agenda**

**April 6, 2017 Noon**

Noon via gotomeeting or at ISFIS 1201 63rd Street, Des Moines, IA 50311

**April RSAI Leadership Group Meeting**
Thu, Apr 6, 2017 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM CDT
**Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.**
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/698045341>
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 **Call To Order**

**II       Approve Agenda**

**III      Approve Minutes of March 8, 2017 Leadership Group**

**IV Membership Report, Monthly Financials**

Membership Renewal Notice update

**V      Mission Critical Actions**

* + RSAI Priorities action at the statehouse
	+ Rural teacher shortages:
		- Iowa Teacher Shortage coming [Des Moines Register](http://www.desmoinesregister.com/story/news/education/2017/01/11/iowa-readies-teacher-shortage/96257920/) Jan. 11, 2017
		- Wisconsin teacher shortages since Collective Bargaining Changes [Des Moines Register](http://www.desmoinesregister.com/story/news/education/2017/03/27/collective-bargaining-iowa-lessons-wisconsin/99687046/) Mar. 28, 2017
		- Rural Teacher Corps Report, Rural Schools Collaborative/Dakota Wesleyan University (attached)
		- [Zachary Mannheimer](http://mecresults.com/zachary-mannheimer-joins-mcclure-engineering-company-as-principal-community-planner/), Creative Placemaker, Attracting teachers to rural Iowa
	+ RSAI presence at ISFIS Annual Conference June 7, 2017
		- Rural teacher shortage session
		- Advocacy roundtable discussion with participants, what worked, what didn’t, building advocacy partners, building relationships – maybe some organized place to answer questions about RSAI during networking time?
	+ MyOnCore: update from Jon and next steps

**VI      Meeting dates for 2016-17 year**

 May 4, 2017 (Thursday) noon

 June 7, 2017 ISFIS conference: Booth and Breakout Session?

 June 8, 2017 (Thursday) noon

 July – no LG meeting – Regional Meetings (dates and locations TBD)

 Aug. 9, 2017 Legislative Group Meeting (at-large + legislative reps) at ISFIS

 Aug. 11, 2017 (Friday) noon

 Sept. 13, 2017 (Wednesday) noon

 Oct Annual Meeting: October 25, FFA Enrichment Center, Ankeny 5:30

**VII Other Business**