TAGAC Meeting Minutes 02/09/16

Scholle McFarland (chair) and Andrew Johnson (PPS TAG Department) out of town.

Attending (members names bolded): **Natalie Hval**, **Johanna Colgrove, Deborah F.**, Jane Chaddick, **Nicole Iroz-Elardo**, J. Grabs, Margaret DeLacy, **Meghan Whitaker**, **Mark Feldman**, Paul Anthony.

Did not have January meeting minutes ready to approve

Add items to Agenda

- Update on identification, timeline in particular
 - Where is the black hole happening?
 - Is the problem the TAG office, the publisher, or the schools themselves?
 - Big concern about big delay 5-15 months
 - What happens for when there is response to intervention (RTI)?
 - Need clarity on whether or not teachers (PAT) giving the assessment, particularly for 2nd grade. Should not be using TAG TOSAs for main testing, but what about a 2nd wave.

Single Subject Acceleration

- How do we get this a policy.
- Amy Slaughter. Al Radcuck (at Wilson) influential in PAT
- Nicole/Scholle to invite Math TOSAs (include Amy)

Professional Development and Budget

- Pilot program (currently 20 teachers by 6 sites = 120 teachers)
 - We need more TOSAS to do this right
 - Steve Buel asked what it would take to roll this out over 3-5 years. Let's ask for a plan.
- Facilitators (regular monthly events for the ~80 facilitators)
- Summer institute
 - \$50K for a 2 day workshop, 50-75 people
- TOSAs
 - Currently have 3
 - Do we want to ask for 5 more? \$100/person
 - Per cluster? Per grades (k-2, 3-5)? Per subject area?
 - NIE to set up TOSA roles google doc
 - Suggest Andrew and the TAG TOSAs flip it. To collect the best practices and report on them. TOSA would write it up. Change the dynamic. Using the TOSAs to make it easier to share.