To: Marlington Board of Education

From: Mrs. Anna Minor, Assistant Superintendent

Re: RttT Update

Date: February 21, 2013

On February 5, 2013 the Transformational Team from RttT met afterschool to discuss several topics. This team works very well together and the staff on the team has devoted three years to providing great district leadership on the ever-changing mandates from the State. Topics of the meeting included:

- SLO building updates- Each building shared where their building is in the process of developing SLO's and the new assessments as well as the process for handing in a SLO and an assessment. As a district, we have shared a common protocol to this process.

- Updates to HB 555- There were several changes to HB 555 right before it was signed into law in December. Some of the greatest changes are:

    - The category of teachers expanded to include-
        - Category A1- a teacher who only teaches a state tested area
        - Category A2- a teacher who teaches both a state tested area and additional non-state tested subjects
        - Category B- a teacher who has vendor data available
        - Category C- a teacher who does not have either state testing data or vendor data available
    - The State mandated the percentages used for evaluations for Category A1 teachers
        - 2013-14- a majority of their evaluation is based on State reports (26%)
        - 2014-15- All 50% of the growth measure must be the State teacher report

- RttT Stocktake meeting- March 21, 2013 at 10:30 am two hours in length
    - Team- Joe Knoll, Anna Minor, Wendy Williams, Teresa Phillips, Rebecca Myers
    - Our team will have the opportunity to share with the State team our greatest accomplishments through the RttT work, how we track our effectiveness, top challenges and critical milestones, how we have spent our grant monies, and ways the State can provide greater support.