



- 8 - 8:30 a.m. **Registration and continental breakfast**
Co-sponsored by Childs & Halligan, P.A.
- 8:30 - 9 a.m. **Welcome**
Queenie Boyd, *SCSBA President Elect, Lee County School District Board Member*
- 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. **Raising student aspirations: The role of your school board**
In this age of accountability the education community is focused on improving student achievement. The Quaglia Institute for Student Aspirations (QISA) has researched increasing student motivation and achievement through raising student aspirations. In this session, participants will learn the role of your board in improving the aspirations of your students utilizing the handbook: School Board Members: Reflect...Inspire...Make a Difference.
Terry McCabe, *NSBA National Connections*
- 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. **Lunch** (*Included in registration*)
Co-sponsored by Duff, White & Turner, LLC
- 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. **Effective leadership**
J.R. Green, who is completing his 4th year as the Superintendent of Schools in Fairfield County, will share his perspective on how “Effective Leadership Contributes to Organizational Change.” His leadership style is guided on his belief that in order for one to be a leader, he or she must first have followers, and following is always a voluntary action. Ineffective leaders often fail to inspire of sense of purpose and trust with those they are charged with leading, and therefore confuse their role as an “authority” with that of a “leader.”
J.R. Green, *Superintendent, Fairfield County School District*
- 2:45 - 4 p.m. **Conflict: A catalyst for positive change**
A fight. A battle. A struggle. These are ways in which conflict has been defined. While these definitions point toward negativity and great challenge, at the core of conflict is also great opportunity. This session is designed to explore conflict in a manner that will generate a shift in perspective and offer strategies for harnessing conflict as a tool for positive change.
Katrina Spigner, *CPEC, MSW, Re-Source Solutions, LLC*
- 4 - 4:30 p.m. **Conference closing and door prizes**
Queenie Boyd, *SCSBA President Elect, Lee County School District Board Member*