# All Grantee Call (AGC) Transcript 1.15.2025

**Burnett, Lauren S - ETA CTR** 0:11
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Back to you, Irene.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 0:22
Thank you, Lauren, and thank you as well, Bradley.
We're going to get to the first portion of our session and introduce the National Office staff that are on the line.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 0:39
Sorry, the National Office staff is sometimes we all just get on and wave.
But I'd like for us to say our names again.
My name is Irene Adams.
I am the NOL for regions 1, 4, and 5. I'm passing it to Byron.

**Kline, Byron - ETA** 0:58
Hi everyone.
Byron Kline. I'm the National Office Liaison for region 6, 3 and 2.

**Slaughter, Alison S - ETA** 1:07
Good afternoon, everyone.
I'm Ali Slaughter and I focus on SCSEP performance and reporting, over to Toni.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 1:15
Good afternoon, everyone and happy New Year.
My name is Toni Wilson, and I am the SCSEP Unit Chief here at the Older Workers Office, and it is also my pleasure to introduce one of the newest members of our team.
Shawnte McGee. Shawnte, if you can wave so they can see you in the sea of brady bunch things. Here we go.
And Shawnte actually is on, I believe day three.
So she's still learning all things but Shawnte, if you want to say hello for a minute.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 1:50
Just let everyone kind of hear you.

**Mcgee, Shawnte T - ETA** 1:54
Hi everybody.
I'm Shawnte.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 1:58
All right.
Well, welcome.
Shawnte has not been assigned a region or anything of that sort. We're going to be getting her up to speed, but we'll let you know when and where there's any changes.
Alright, I'll pass it back to you, Irene for the rest of the introductions.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 2:17
And we'll move alphabetically to TwoTech.

**Barcley, Joyce M - ETA CTR** 2:23
Hi, I'm Joyce Barcley with TwoTech happy New Year everyone.

**Bronson, Bradley K - ETA CTR** 2:27
And happy New Year.
I'm Bradley Bronson with TwoTech.

**Burnett, Lauren S - ETA CTR** 2:32
Hi everyone.
I am Lauren Burnett with TwoTech.

**Byrd, Jada M - ETA CTR** 2:36
Good afternoon, everybody.
This is Jada Byrd with TwoTech.

**Mauro, Kevin M - ETA CTR** 2:41
And good afternoon, everyone.
This is Kevin Mauro also with TwoTech.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 2:47
Good afternoon, everybody.
This is Michi with TwoTech.

**Wilkins, Patricia A - ETA CTR** 2:52

And good afternoon, everybody.
This is Pat Wilkins with TwoTech.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 2:55
We can't hear you, Pat.
You're very low.

**Wilkins, Patricia A - ETA CTR** 3:02
I'll work on it.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 3:05
Thank you everyone from TwoTech.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 3:10
And BCT, alphabetically.

**Lynch, Leila I - ETA CTR** 3:13
Happy New Year everyone.
This is Leila Lynch from BCT.

**Denise Thompson** 3:18
And this is Denise Thompson, the project manager from BCT. Ron is out today, so he will not be joining the call.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 3:26
Thank you very much.
We appreciate all the work you do and happy New Year to you all.
Now we'll move to program announcements.
Toni, I'm gonna turn it over to you.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 3:38
Great. Thank you so much, Irene.
So just a few program updates as you probably saw on New Year's Eve, the TEGL 13 23 change one has gone out, so that is published and hopefully everybody has seen that as a reminder that there was information that had gone out through emails or kind of talking to people individually so most things in that TEGL should be done, but please work with your FPOs if you have any specific questions based on your specific grant, but just wanted to flag that and we'll hear a little more about it. But we have the WIPS training, grantee

administrators training, which will be on January 23rd at 2:00PM. I will let Ali talk a little bit about that one in just a second. And then I also want to remind people that we actually have SCSEP Grantee Orientation, that's January 28th through the 30th. It's half day, so it's basically in the afternoons, one to four. So hopefully we don't completely consume your whole week, but some good stuff, some good basic information needed for your grants. So, we encourage you guys to attend, and we'll also record. So, if you have staff that are not able to attend, they'll be able to get that. And reminder about the grantee orientation, we have sent out an e-mail just soliciting some questions. So we do encourage you to add questions to that. We will be using those both at the orientation and will be follow up webcast or webinars and we'll be doing some FAQs. So we just wanna make sure we get some of those questions, all right. With that said, I will actually pass it to Ali first, if you wanted to say anything in reference to the WIPS.

**Slaughter, Alison S - ETA** 5:41
Thanks Toni.
Yeah, just I'll add that our WIPS training is next Thursday.
It's for all of our grantee administrators who, as a reminder, is the user role in GPMS who have the ability to generate a WIPS QPR and also certify in the system. We'll be doing a demo of the process; we'll introduce some new tools that we're creating to help you with your WIPS submission process and just talk in general about how your data is being processed and WIPS and what we use it for. If you can't attend, we'll plan to record it and post it on the website. You'll be able to view it there.
And a quick reminder for all of our grantee administrator users. Please make sure that your account in GPMS is active and not been deactivated. If you are no longer able to access your account, please put in a Zendesk ticket to have that activated. You were sent out your WIPS login information that should still be active, but just a reminder to go look for that. So you have that available for our training. And with that, I will turn it back to Irene.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 6:49
Thank you so much, Ali and Toni for your updates.
Now we'll move to grant management updates and we'll start off with you, Ali, for the PY 2023 performance evaluation.

**Slaughter, Alison S - ETA** 7:06
Thanks Irene.
So PY 23 performance was frozen back in November in GPMS, so you can view your end of year QPR and see all of your performance at the grantee level in the view frozen QPR Report Card in the Admin Console of GPMS. So that final performance data is what we use to

complete the grantee performance evaluation which is comparing your actual performance to the goals that were set for you to achieve, for your performance measures, and that's after we have applied those adjustments. Based on economic characteristics for that process, it is in the works right now. There was a delay with the customer satisfaction surveys because of the PRA process, but those are in the field right now and we hope to get results back from that very soon. When we do, that will be wrapped into the rest of your PY 23 performance and then we hope to publish that in about mid-February. So just wanted to give an update that that is in the works, and we plan to publish that very soon. Again, you can see your final performance already in GPMS.

And I have the next item as well, so I'll move on to our PY 24 equitable distribution updates. This one is a doozy, so if you have questions, we can address those at the end. This only applies to national grantees. State grantees, your equitable distribution has been set since July 1st, and you are all good to go in GPMS.

For our national grantees, the change one TEGL, in attachment four, has a target enrollment numbers for you, or target authorized position numbers for you in that last attachment of the TEGL and the reason for this is because when we originally set PY 24 equitable, the distribution, that's what was loaded into SCSEP, apply and what you bid on during the FOA process. Our 24-money included both the regular SCSEP allotment and also some recaptured funds.

Because you were allotted money in two different months in the 4-month Transition Grant and then in the 8-month Allotment. There, the 8-month Grant didn't have any recaptured funds, so there was a small discrepancy for a few grantees from how much money you received and how many participants that could fund. So what is currently in GPMS is that original 24 distribution. You've been given the target distribution number that's at a grantee level. But as we know, equitable distribution goes all the way down to the county level.

So right now we are working to reset equitable distribution with that top line number that you received in the TEGL all the way down to the county level so that it matches exactly how much money you have to fund participants in the SCSEP program. We expect to have that in the next month or so. You'll see two new files uploaded into GPMS that will affect your ED reports, and that also translates into some of our performance measures. There will be a file uploaded very soon for 2024 quarter 2.That will still reflect the original Ed, but it will reflect any approved swaps of positions that between grantees that have gone through. So there's a couple state and national grantees we're working with for swaps. Those approved swaps are in that new file upload. So you'll see that reflected. Then you'll see another one uploaded about a month later for PY 23 quarter 3 and that will be reflecting those new target allotment numbers down to the county level. In the meantime, keep in mind that your service level measure in your community service measure in the QPR directly relate to the authorized positions in the system.

So you may see your numbers a bit off again. You can look at your target. They're not that far from your original equitable distribution, but that will be a little bit off until we have that new file uploaded in the system. If you have any questions, you can either add them in the chat or reach out to your FPO and we can answer any of those offline.
All right, back to you, Irene.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 11:34
Thank you, Ali. And as mentioned by Toni, I think I'm going to walk you through a few of the highlights of the of TEGL 13 23 change one, some things that you might want to pay attention to in addition to the slot allocations and equitable distribution that Ali just mentioned and explained. I want to call your attention to the extension of the four months award. This is for national grantees who were awarded 4 months of funding to carry out the SCSEP activities for the first four months that money has been extended so the period of performance for those funds has been extended to June 30th, 2025. So you have until then to spend those funds. No action is required for you; you don't need to make a formal request. It was automatically done.
The next thing I'd like to call your attention to is the sort of discrepancy in section D of the TEGL, where we state information about the submission of policies. No, we're not asking you to redo your policies. We're asking you to submit your policies if you have no changes. But I do wanna caution you that within the grievance policy there is a process in which participants should address their grievances. If your policy is not consistent with your organization chart, then you need to tweak it. Too many times we have complaints that can be resolved on the local level not being resolved because the participants simply don't know who to address their complaint with. So what we're asking for the nationals that are new, at this point, is to take a look at your grievance policies, or if you don't have one, you need to develop one. But take a look and make sure that it's just consistent with the contacts that the participants need to go through in order to get through your process. Make it clear. Remember there are some folks with some challenges that we need to make sure that they know exactly what to do in the next, and I think that was it. I wanted to make sure it was clear that we're not asking you to redo policies. We asked you to submit them so that we can have copies of them to ensure that we can pass them on when needed and that's it for the grantee updates, we're going to go on with communications and outreach. TwoTech?

**Mauro, Kevin M - ETA CTR** 14:43
Thanks Irene.
Happy New Year everybody. And again, thank you for joining us this afternoon.
The New Year is a great opportunity, as I often say, to make sure you are registered with Workforce GPS and that you are signed up for our once a week only updates, an alert that

goes out every Tuesday and gives you the latest changes and news things that are on the Older Workers Community of Practice. Anytime you have members of your staff or anyone who needs to review something, like this call will have a recording of this call available to you on the COP. We keep them up to date for you, so that if anybody misses these types of events, you'll have a resource to go back and to review it. I just wanted to also say we're keeping things fresh. We have some new pieces on the website talking about adapting the physical workspace for older workers and an ageing workforce population. A study was recently released that talked about how older workers found greater job satisfaction than any other age group. So we're trying to put some material out there that would be relevant to the sort of work that you do. And yes, please if you have any questions at all, you can always reach us at SCSEPTechnicalAssistance@dol.gov And yeah, we hope to see you at the COP. And now I'll turn things over to my colleague Pat to talk about GPMS vLive.

**Wilkins, Patricia A - ETA CTR** 16:19
Awesome. Thank you, Kevin.
Can you guys hear me?
I was having some sound issues earlier.

**Mauro, Kevin M - ETA CTR** 16:25
Yeah, I can hear you.

**Wilkins, Patricia A - ETA CTR** 16:26
Perfect. Thank you.
So, good afternoon again everyone.
Previously, we thank the FPO's for continuing to encourage grantees to attend the vLive office hours. We now also want to thank the grantees for their participation in vLive and having your sub grantees on board as well. We're continuing to see growth and attendance from both the grantees and your sub grantees and it's really wonderful to see the engagement. The natural peer-to-peer activities that are taking place and the support for each other that we're seeing within vLive. We held our first vLive of 2025 last Wednesday and I think we had over 100 attendees. So that is really great to see. A few weeks back, we introduced games as a learning tool and it has been a very positive effect and very competitive for the vLive participants and that has also been great, but it also gives you guys an opportunity again to do some natural peer-to-peer and some team building as well. Competing and trying to have the best score out there so far, we introduced GPMS Jeopardy and GPMS Supermarket Sweep and we will be introducing new games in the very near future. So hopefully you guys will continue to enjoy that and use it as a learning experience

and tool. So that is all I have on vLive updates.
I'm gonna turn it over to BCT.

**Lynch, Leila I - ETA CTR** 18:00
Thank you, Patricia. Good afternoon, everyone.
Today's session will focus on the following topics latest release, technical assistance, new user guide, locked records, authorized positions, and swaps, tip of the month. Release 3.3.1 was deployed in GPMS on Friday, December 20th, 2024. Administrators can submit QNPR to WIPS with this release. Even though the submission to WIPS is available, please do not submit the QPR to WIPS until you're instructed to do so. We are pleased to announce that an updated user guide was distributed to the user community on December 31st, 2024. This version of the guide version 1.7, is 508 compliant. The grantees are encouraged to review it and familiarize themselves with the new and updated functionality. A copy of the Guide is available on the SCSEP help website. As part of the SCSEP Help's team, ongoing monitoring of Zendesk and GPMS, we have noticed an increase in the number of locked records in GPMS with only a few grantees submitting requests to unlock the participants records. There are tools available. For example, the Double DL report and system notifications to help monitor when participants are nearing the durational limit so the exit information can be entered to avoid the records being locked. Please note that durational limits need to be closely monitored in GPMS to ensure the participant is exited prior to going over their durational limits. Regarding the authorized positions for Q2 PY24. Our team is finalizing the file for uploading in GPMS for this period. Once uploaded, the authorized positions will reflect the swaps for Q2 PY24. An e-mail will be sent to users informing them that the authorized positions are in GPMS. Users will also need to allocate the authorized positions among their sub grantees by the deadline specified in the e-mail. Modified positions will be calculated based on the allocations made in GPMS. This month's tip is about removing notifications from the My Task list. This can be done by taking the following steps. Select the My Task menu. Select the case notifications or grantee notifications sub menu. Click the dismiss icon, displayed as an X. Select the yes button on the dismiss notification dialogue box to confirm that you want to delete the notification. Remember this deletion cannot be undone once these steps are completed. The notification will be deleted, and it cannot be undone.
Thanks everyone. Have a good day.
Back to you, Irene.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 22:36
Thank you, Leila.

I love those updates.
Byron, what do you have to tell us about the GPMS newsletter?

**Kline, Byron - ETA** 22:46
Great. Thank you, Irene.
So the January edition of the SCSEP GPMS newsletter is out, and for this first spotlight of 2025, we're focused on the upcoming WIPS training and also the SCSEP Grantee Orientation coming up at the end of the month. Times and dates and a link to registering for the grantee orientation is on the newsletter as well as some details about the upcoming WIPS training. Also on this edition, as always, there are links to the vLive recordings, GPMS release notes along with a link to the Older Workers Community of Practice page where the newsletter can be found.
That's it.
Back to you, Irene.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 23:32
Thank you, Byron.
And by the way, Sunday is Byron's birthday and he's praying for a win for the Bills, as a birthday present.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 23:46
Happy birthday, Byron.
I hope you get your birthday wish.

**Kline, Byron - ETA** 23:49
Thank you.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 23:54
OK, we'll move to. Does any grantee have any special thing that they would like to share about what they're doing? Any collaborations? Something that they want the rest of the SCSEP world to know. I hold it for 2 minutes to see if there's, for a second to see if anybody wants to share anything before, we move into Q&A.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 24:20
Irene, while people are thinking, and hopefully we get someone that has some good stuff that's happening, I just wanted to add two things. One, we didn't give an update on the demo, so I'm sorry about that. So the demo grants currently Urban Institute, which is the one that's doing the evaluation and working with the demo grants, they are still finishing up

their virtual meetings basically to kind of virtual like assessments and that information is what we'll be using in reference to the next steps. My understanding is that they'll be wrapping that up over the next two weeks. We're literally almost done and then we will reconvene with the 9 grantees in reference to your marching orders and next steps. So just wanted to let you know that and we'll look out for an e-mail. I also wanted to flag that on Workforce GPS tomorrow, the Department of Labor and Department of Education, The Institute of Museum, Library Services, and The Department of Commerce is doing a digital literacy webinar. This is digital literacy and resilience resources support digital skill building, which is definitely in line with some of the trainings that we're doing. So I would encourage, I'm gonna put it in the chat, I encourage people to check that out. That's tomorrow from 1:30 to 3:00. And it's nothing else. If you can, least if you register that you can get quick access to the archive. But it should be a really good discussion and probably some good takeaways.
So I just also wanted to flag that.
Alright, thank you.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 26:22
No, thank you, Toni.
You always appreciate it.
Always appreciate it.
Yeah, always got good information.
Thank you so much.
Now we'll move to the Q&A session.
Does anyone have any questions for us?
Anything that we can clarify?
And you can share.
You can still share within this time if you have something particularly excited.
Crystal Odom. Anything exciting that you have been doing and what you have done?
No one.
Everybody's quiet today, Crystal.
I see your hand. Crystal, go ahead.

**Crystal Odom-McKinney** 27:11
I hope my audio is working good.
Good day.
Happy New Year everyone.
In our neck of the woods with Easter Seals, we're very excited to kick the year off with a lot of wonderful trainings and workshops for our job seekers. We're also looking forward to

doing more of our advocacy work and education with our job seekers where we have an education day on the Hill. We've been doing that successfully since 2003. Really long time. We're also on the forefront of compliance and doing a lot with our Subs around TA as it relates to compliance, we want to be in a good place as we continue to embark. Doing a lot around our tools and our systems with Salesforce and GPMS as well. Very excited to always be a part of the trainings and the vLives. Those are definitely on our calendars on a regular basis, so I'm really happy, excited and ignited as we begin this year. Thank you.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 28:26
Thank you, Crystal.
She always comes through for me.
Any other questions?
Anything else we can address, anything we have not discussed that you had a question about? Do you have anything?
Don't be shy.
Specially you, newbies, we all need.
We all. No, question is minimal to us.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 28:48
While people are putting questions in the chat or raising their hand, I did want to just add one other thing is actually for February under the demo grants. There will be a training in reference to entering your data that'll be in February. I don't know if we have an exact date yet, Ali, but that will be in early February, and we'll be sending that out. I just wanted to make sure that I added that to the demo information.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 29:19
Well, thank you, Toni.
Well, I don't see any questions in the chat, nor any hands raised. So, I just wanted just to recap a couple of reminders that of the new of the grantee orientation beginning 1/28, 1:00 to 4:00, if you haven't. Oh, sorry, Sherri.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 29:37
Hi, how's everyone today?
I have a question.
We are planning in South Carolina to do a career fair with our Department of Employment and Workforce, and it was coming up as National Employ Older Worker’s week, March 9th through the 15th. And we're just trying to verify that, that's true.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 30:04
No, that was the first week of NEOWW, at the beginning of NEOWW, but it was later moved to the last full week in September. So, NEOWW week is the last full week in September.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 30:21
So NEOWW is not in March.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 30:23
No, it is not. But also, National Older Worker's month is in May, but NEOWW is in September.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 30:32
OK.
What do we do at this point?
Because this reading on the Internet that March 9th through 15th, it is.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 30:38
No it.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 30:39
Alvin, we scheduled a whole career fair on March 12th.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 30:45
And I'm sorry, just for clarity and where is that?

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 30:46
Go ahead.
You go ahead.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 30:49
Where is it saying that it's on Google that March 19th?
Let me see.
Let me pull it over quick.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 30:59
'Cause, if you don't mind sending that link so we can, you know, confirm what's going on. We have not put anything out on this, so I'm not sure where that's coming from.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 31:10
OK.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 31:10
It's in the history, Toni, because if you do NEOWW, it'll tell you it was first. It was first celebrated in March. I forget which administration did, but it was later moved to September.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 31:28
OK.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 31:28
Understood. Understood.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 31:28
And.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 31:31
We'll change the language of it 'cause it's pretty much a go at this point, but we'll change the language from NEOWW.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 31:42
If it helps you, the OAA turn has a marked year this year. It turns, is it 60? I believe that so.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 31:50
Yeah, I believe it's 60.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 31:52
The OAA turns 60 this year.
Maybe you can do something around that instead.
Change the language around that.
Maybe a kickoff to the birthday celebration.
The birthday is actually in July.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 32:01
Yeah, but yeah, I was gonna say it's also still not March.
I don't know what the, you know. There isn't a March thing so.

**Caldwell, Sherri** 32:09
We'll figure it out. I just told him today I would verify and ask the question.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 32:13
OK. Sounds good and thank you so much, Sherri.
I'll use that so I can confirm what's going on there.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 32:22
The link that was shared in the chat, Toni, it does say it's somewhere nationaltoday.com National Older Workers Employment Week, March 9th through the 15th, 2025 United States. It's National Older Workers Employment Week.
And it's the second full week.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 32:48
Alright, alright. We'll like I said, we'll still need to check this out.
This is not a DOL site.
We haven't put that information out so.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 32:53
Yeah.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 32:57
You know, so just for everyone on the call, there isn't an older workers celebration that I know of from DOL in March. And we'll just follow up with what's kind of happening here for this.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 33:11
Yeah, it looks like it's related to retirement and Social Security, that kind of website. So it might be something entirely different. Just kinda titled almost the same.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 33:27
OK.
Any other questions, comments.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 33:31
There are questions in the chat.
Irene, I know it's hard to follow that when you're presenting.
Let's see what we have here.

So we just did the older worker one and, you know, people are still looking for prevailing wages, if anybody has any policies or procedures, I know that this is. So Jeff was asking if anyone wants to share is included. I know this is a very big topic, but it also is a legal one. So we're here at DOL are still working in reference to what will be a final solution on this. So just wanted to flag that. And a link to register for the orientation in January. I don't know if we officially have that out yet. I know we did a save the date. Anyone could correct me if I'm wrong on that, but if not, it should be going out shortly.

**Kline, Byron - ETA** 34:29
Yep, I responded in the chat to that.
The link that's in the newsletter is for the WIPS training.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 34:36
Gotcha. Gotcha.
So we'll be sending a separate e-mail out in reference to the, but technically it's on teams, so we'll probably just be sending out an appointment, unlike if we had it in person or something. And let's see what is this. There was a discussion about recapture funds. I'm not quite sure what that question is about Crystal.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 35:13
I believe at some point we were talking about the demo grants and how much funding was actually provided there was it possibly.
Maybe.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 35:32
OK, I see what you're saying. So Crystal, so the answer to that still has not changed. So, what was given out is what you have for the demo grants and what we were saying. I know people got a little less than what they were planning 'cause we had planned for six and we ended up going with 9. I cannot officially say that you would get more money as we said on the orientation. We're just not in a position to say that you definitely would get more money in the future, but that is definitely something that we are working toward and that the plan would be that people would be getting additional funding each year. And as we sit on the OR, currently, you just need to plan based on the funding that you receive. Not on, you know, kind of any future funding if additional comes up then we will do kind of across the board of increasing.
Did that answer your question, alright.
Alright, I think those are.
Am I missing any questions?

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 36:56
No, I don't think so.
Don't. No.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 36:58
Alright, I think we called them. Steve Ritzke was not able to make this meeting but did want me to say hello to everyone.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 36:58
I don't think so too, yeah.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 37:06
And.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 37:09
Oh, in reference to the surveys, I guess that's the Customer SAT. It appears that the apartment numbers are being left off, although they were submitted. Is that a post office issue or something else?

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 37:21
We can check with.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 37:24
I can speak to that. This is Michi. Toni.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 37:24
The, I don't know.
Thank you.
And just about to ask you about the issue.

**McNeace, Meche - ETA CTR** 37:28
You're welcome.
So yes, during the participant survey process, we realized, or we were notified by a handful of grantees that even though the apartment numbers are added into GPMS. However, when the mailing house mailed out the surveys, the apartment numbers were left out. So there are a few grantees where they needed to submit a new batch of bad addresses and add the apartment address back in. So the Mail House, Charter Oak, and NPR, are all aware of it. So they are working to correct it, and it should, hopefully if we keep our fingers crossed, be

corrected and wave 2 will be the second set of surveys that are going out for to those participants whose surveys were returned. So we're hoping that it will be fixed during this wave 2 process. And I know New York was. I mean, it was a lot for them, New York State. But so it's not the post office, there was a little glitch and just hoping that it's fixed.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 38:37
Ali this next one is for you.
To make sure I heard correctly, the state grantees doesn't have to do a new ED report for PY 2024, just national grantees.

**Slaughter, Alison S - ETA** 38:51
I was actually talking about the numbers themselves in the system, the states equitable distribution numbers, which is the way that you're authorized positions are distributed across your state or across your counties, is already set for the states. As far as the actual report, that is to be completed about the filling your equitable distribution. We're still in discussion with that. This is a transition year, so there are some changes in service delivery. So, we've been in the equitable distribution report this year and will let you know when we have more information about that. But for the actual numbers in the system, the state is all set.

**Adams, Anita (Irene) - ETA** 39:38
Just a reminder, the WIPS training for grantee administrations is on January 23rd at 2:00 PM. Be sure you register for that. The link for that is either in an e-mail to you guys about the WIPS training or it's in the GPMS newsletter give you a chance to go in and read that. And the 2025 SCSEP Grantee Orientation is on January 28th to January 30th, from 1:00 to 4:00 PM in the afternoon. Please attend. If not, if you can't jump in for all of them, be sure to attend things that you need a refresher on from the agenda. Today, speaking of birthdays and landmarks, today marks the night would have been the 96th birthday of the Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King Junior. One of my greatest inspirations and one of my favorite memories of him is "The difference between a dreamer and a visionary is that a dreamer has his eyes closed and a visionary has his eyes open." Sending love out for that to this, that kind of day, our next All Grantee call will be on Wednesday, February 19th, 2025, we look forward to seeing you then. Thank you.

**Wilson, Toni K - SCSEP** 41:12
Thank you, everyone.

**Bronson, Bradley K - ETA CTR**