

## 2022-2023 Mississippi End-of-Year Report

The membership of the state's MIC3 council consists of the following members

1. Ms. Kristen Windham, MIC3 MS State Commissioner
2. State Representative Richard Bennett, House Education Chair
3. Dr. Kim Benton, MDE Superintendent
4. Mr. Marcus Boudreaux, Biloxi Superintendent
5. Dr. Dexter Brookins, Bureau Director, JROTC
6. State Senator Dennis Debar, Senate Education Chair
7. State Representative Kevin Felsher
8. Ms. Linda Gates, Civilian Columbus, MS
9. Mr. PJ Waldrop, Military Liaison, Governor Tate Reeves' Office

Ex-Officio members (non-voting)

1. Military Representative to the Council - CAPT Jeffery Powell, Commander NCBC Gulfport & USDOD Military Representative
2. Mr. Gerry Cross, School Liaison, Kessler Air Force Base
3. Mr. Larry Mullins, School Liaison, Meridian Naval Air Station
4. Ms. Joni Nalley, School Liaison, Columbus Air Force Base
5. Ms. Mona Odom, School Liaison, Gulfport Naval Air Station

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Accomplishments:

- Held Mississippi's inaugural State Council meeting on August 12, 2022.

Activities

- Mississippi led record breaking Compact 101 Training in Columbus, Mississippi in August 2022.
- MIC3 offered training in September 2022 for Military Star School Program.