

**ACCESS CONSTITUENT GROUP MEETING**  
**EDUCAUSE Conference, Nashville**  
**Wednesday, October 11, 2000**

Attendance: 26 (6 from Private Secondary Schools, 17 from Higher Education, 3 Vendors)

Session Notes:

The following topics were generated from the attendees for discussion:

Administrative Systems  
Portal Technology  
Napster Issues/Bandwidth/Blocking  
Multimedia  
Card Access Systems  
Application Service Providers

Initiation of Discussion – Participants introduced themselves, stated the institution they represented and their position.

Administrative Systems – Participants shared the mix of administrative systems we were using. Issues included use of ASP's, web interfaces, portals, and discussion on some new vendors represented at the exhibit hall.

Napster Issues – Schools' shared what they were doing to handle the bandwidth issues caused by napster and like services. There was lengthy discussion regarding the DMCA and liability coverage for schools in acting as an ISP.

Multimedia – This issue was discussed and time was spent discussing storage solutions for multimedia data.

Card Access Systems – A survey of the group was taken to find out if schools are using card access systems and what systems are currently in use.

Date for the June ACCESS conference was discussed – June 20-22, 2001, Deerfield Academy – See you there!