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### **NEEDS ASSESSMENT MEETINGS PLANNED IN ST. CROIX DISTRICT TO DISCUSS CGA**

ST. CROIX, USVI – In preparation for the writing of the district’s Consolidated Grant Application (CGA), the Office of the Insular Superintendent, St. Croix District, will conclude its series of needs assessment meetings on **February 21** and invites the public to participate in the process from **8 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Curriculum Center’s large conference room.**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Stakeholder Group</b>
8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	V.I. Board of Education
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Members of the 33 <sup>rd</sup> Legislature
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Private Sector
4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	National and School-based PTA Officers (two reps per school)

The purpose of these meetings is to gather information and understand the perspectives of community stakeholders. The assessment will focus on:

- Understanding the Rural and Low-Income Schools program and local use of funds
- Review of approved CGA programs and activities
- Identifying and capturing the local needs, opportunities, interventions, and approvable activities

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