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MEETING PROJECT NAME: Education Advocates Meeting
DATE OF MEETING: May 26, 2020
TIME: 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM
Zoom Meeting

ATTENDEES:

PRESENT: As best of our records could show

Pete Donovan, Executive Director, Board of Public Education (BOPE)
Kirk Miller, Executive Director of School Administrators of Montana (SAM)
McCall Flynn, Education Policy Advisor, Governor's Office
Jule Walker, Field Specialist, Montana School Board Association (MTSBA)
Laura Sankey Keip, Attorney, Legislative Services
Paul Furthmyre, Superintendent, Montana School for the Deaf and Blind
Dennis Parman, Executive Director, Montana Rural Education Association (MREA)
Dylan Huisken, Montana Teacher of the Year 2019
Angela McLean, Director, American Indian and Minority Achievement
Mark Beckman, Montana High School Association
Nancy Hall, Governor's Office of the Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)
Marco Ferro, Public Policy Director, Montana Federation of Public Employees (MFPE)
Diane Burke, Executive Director, Montana Quality Education Coalition (MQEC)
Alyssa Cliver, Golden Triangle Curriculum Cooperative Director

OPI STAFF

Elsie Arntzen, State Superintendent
Sharyl Allen, Deputy Superintendent
Tracy Moseman, Health Enhancement Division Administrator
Dylan Klapmeier, Communications Director
Ken Bailey, Chief Financial Officer
Julia Swingley, Chief Legal Counsel
Dick Trerise, SPED Assistant Division Administrator
Julie Murgel, School Improvement ESSA Coordinator
Kris Thatcher, Educator Licensure Program Manager
Colet Bartow, CSI Division Administrator
Michael Sweeney, Chief Data Officer

RECORD KEEPER

Christy Perryman, Administrative Clerk, Office of Public Instruction

TOPIC & PRESENTER INFO

MT Learn 2020 Task Force, Colet Bartow

- 53 Attendees to Initial Meeting
- Introductions
- Areas of Improvement
- Needs of Students, Parents and Teachers
- Next Meeting Join by Computer
- Expectations
- [MT Learn 2020](#)

TOPIC & PRESENTER INFO

MT FLEX 2020 Task Force, Julie Murgel

- Purpose
- What Ifs
- What Needs to be in Place
- Student Success
- 5 Focus Groups
- [MT FLEX 2020](#)

TOPIC & PRESENTER INFO

Other Business

- Dylan Klapmeier – [Re-opening MT Schools 2020](#)

Thank you for your patience and **Putting Montana Students First** during this uncertain time.

[Full Education Advocates meeting can be listened to at this link](#)