OPI’s Education Advocates
Tuesday, August 17th, 2021 9:30 – 10:30 AM

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AGENDA:

1. Welcome, Superintendent Arntzen (2 min.)
2. Comprehensive School & Community Treatment (CSCT) Update,
   Deputy Superintendent Sharyl Allen (10 min.)
3. Critical Race Theory (CRT), Christian Corrigan MT Dept. of Justice (10 min.)
4. Chapter 57: Licensing Update, Crystal Andrews (5 min.)
5. Chapter 58: Teacher Preparation Update, Zach Hawkins (5 min.)
6. Legislative Guidance and Rule Making, Jake Griffith, Chief Legal OPI (10 min.)
   a. SB 72: Revise school laws related to participation in extracurricular activities.
   b. SB 157: Allow non-public students to participate in public school extracurriculars.
   c. HB 207: Generally revise school bus safety laws.
   d. HB 267: Improve school bus safety laws.
   e. HB 300: Generally revise school transportation laws.
7. Response to USED Federal Interim Rule on ESSER Data Reporting,
   Jeff Kirksey & Dr. Julie Murgel (10 min.)
8. Purple Star School Update, Jessica Flint (5 min.)
9. Closing & Final Comments, Superintendent Arntzen (2 min.)

**Please see reverse side for list of attendees.**
Superintendent Elsie Arntzen  
Dylan Klapmeier, Gov. Gianforte Education Policy Advisor  
Lance Melton, MTSBA  
Will Parsons, Senator Daines  
Jule Walker, MTSBA  
Smith Works, Senator Tester  
Debra Silk, MTSBA  
Dawn-Marie Sullivan, Representative Rosendale  
Emily Dean, MTSBA  
Nancy Hall, OBPP  
Kirk Miller, SAM  
Julia Pattin, LFD  
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Pad McCracken, LFD  
Diane Fladmo, MFPE  
Laura Sankey-Keip, LFD  
Diane Burke, MQEC  
Senator Dan Salomon, Chairman  
Dennis Parman, MREA  
Representative Seth Berglee, Chairman  
Mark Beckman, MHSA  
Stevie Schmitz, Council of Deans  
Denise Williams, MASBO  
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Angela McClean, OCHE  
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Linda Marsh, MTSSA  
Steve White, Legislative Liaison: MT Coalition of  
Angel Turoski, MT Catholic Schools-GFB  
Home Educators  
Father Jeffrey Fleming, Diocese of Helena Bishop’s Representative to  
Catholic Schools