Monthly Report for December BOD/DA Meetings LGBTQ Subcmte of DEI Cmte Submitted by Mark Eckstein, Subcmte Chair

November Monthly Highlights

(if more info is desired, kindly email: LGBTQ@MCCPTA.ORG)

- Attended **DEI Cmte Meetings** and contributed to ongoing work, via email etc
- Communicated with GSA Student Club (LGBTQ student clubs in all of our Middle and High Schools) stakeholders (sponsors, students, community members, staff) about various topics
- Attended/Followed Virtual Learning Sbcmte Meetings as the DEI Cmte Liaison
- Attended OHRD Workgroup BOE Presentation
- Met with MoCoPride student leaders about lgbtq-inclusion in the Anti-Racism Audit
- Met with HoCo organizers of LGBTQ Conference to discuss partnership
- Assisted MoCoPride Students with their Email Storm-Advocacy Event
- Attended BOE Meeting related to Anti-racist Audit
- Attended quarterly Meeting of Greg Edmundson's Student Welfare Stakeholders Team.
- Met with BOE member/PFLAG to discuss MCPS's Gender Identity Guidelines
- Worked with WCHS PTSA on LGBTQ issues: survey response, featured speaker, etc
- Attended meeting of MoCoPride related to MCPS's new LGBTQ Course
- Met with Gender Spectrum about participating in a MCPS training
- Met with Jimmy from UMD about his doctoral report regarding politics behind LGBTQ-Inclusion in Curriculum
- Met with BOE member about a historical incident in which MCPS fired a teacher for being LGBTQ
- Met with MCPS staff about organizing a credited module on MCPS LGBTQ Professional Development
- Met with Sherwood HS Admin regarding Gender Identity training for staff
- Corresponded/worked with Dr McKnight regarding LGBTQ History Month/Pride Month