

WELCOME



SEAC Business Meeting
February 3, 2016
Lansing Community College, West

Chairperson's Report: SEAC Culture/Meeting Norms

Our professional community commits to:

- Listening for understanding
- Asking questions to learn
- Being present and engaged at meeting
- Respecting all views and perspectives

MDE OSE Update

Teri L. Chapman, Ed.S. Director

Flint Water Crisis

- Emergency State Funding
 - HB5220 \$28 million supplement
 - 4500 Flint toddlers and babies ages 0-3 are assessed for lead exposure

 - x \$1 million for food banks and nutrition
 - x \$1.75 million for assessments
 - \$300,000 Genesee County added nutritional support
 - o Additional services:
 - National Guard providing water
 - Hiring additional nurses
 - Wrap-Around services (Early On and Special Education)
 - Water filers and filer replacements
 - Community education and support to child and adolescent health centers
 - x Lab and testing costs, corrosion control and infrastructure study

Flint Water Crisis, Slide 2

- Since January 9, 2016:
 - 196,456 cases of water
 - 95,417 water filters
 - o 30,255 water testing kits
- Water bottle recycling planning is underway
- Bathing:
 - It is safe to bathe in water from the Flint system
 - No scientific link connecting skin rashes to the change in water source
 - Children should be supervised at all times to avoid ingesting water

Michigan School for the Deaf

- In light of the Flint water crisis:
 - Bottled water has been in the school and the dormitory since August 2015
 - Used for drinking, cooking and brushing teeth
 - ▼ Drinking fountains were turned off
 - Water in the school tested negative for lead
 - Water in Stevens Hall (dorm) tested twice the acceptable level
 - All drinking fountain and sink faucets have been replaced in the dorm
 - Additional water testing scheduled for next week
 - Dept. of Public Health is conducting blood testing on site for students and their families as well as school staff

Michigan School for the Deaf, Slide 2

- Filling principal vacancy
 - Civil Service position defines requirements
 - Staff and deaf community stakeholder group to provide input regarding additional preferences
- Core planning team coming together to look at action steps in light of the structured dialogue that took place last fall
 - o Friday, Feb. 19
 - At MSD
- Lt. Governor Brian Calley visited the school ad spoke to the kids!

Governor's Task Force to Reform Special Education

- Superintendent Brian Whiston will be presenting the Seven Strategic Goals supporting the Top 10 in 10, to the State Board of Education
 - February 9, 2016
 - Hannah Building, 608 W. Allegan St., Lansing
- Lt. Governor Calley will be presenting the Task Force report with recommendations to the State Board of Education
 - o 3:00 PM, February 9, 2016

MDE Tribal Liaison Work

- United Tribes of Michigan
 - February 9, 2016
 - Special reception with tribal chiefs (legislative, executive and judicial branches)
- Michigan Tribal Education Director meeting
 - February 17, 2016
 - Grand Rapids
- "Heading to the Hill with NIEA"
 - The National Indian Education Association
 - Conference in Washington DC
 - x February 25, 2016
 - Understand the requirements of the federal Every Student Succeeds Act and the impact on Native American students

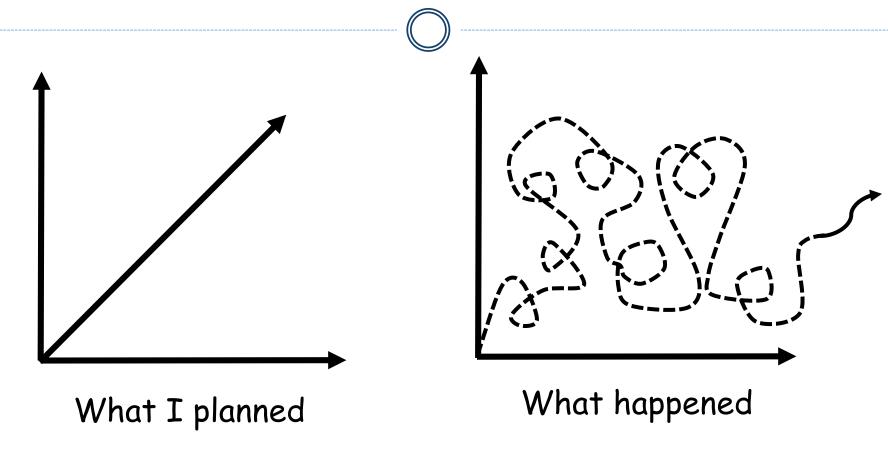
State Complaint System Improvement

- January 25-26, 2016, Pingora Consultants met with 4 stakeholder groups and over 70 individuals. The groups providing input included:
 - The MDE OSE complaint investigators and monitoring team
 - ISD special education directors and monitors and local district supervisors
 - The advocacy community
 - IDEA Grant Funded Initiatives
 - ▼ Michigan Special Education Mediation Programs
 - Michigan Alliance for Families

State Systemic Improvement...a PLAN

- Top 10 in 10
 - MDE Reorganization
 - SSIP Framework
 - ESSA requirements
 - Governor's Task Force Recommendations
- SSIP due April 1, 2016
 - MDE systemic change
 - SiMR (early literacy)
- Reimagining the MSD
 - Strategic Planning
 - Principal vacancy
- General Supervision
 - State Complaints
 - Monitoring and Accountability
 - Technical Assistance and Professional Development
 - Transition Coordinator & Services

My good intentions!



MDE/OSE Update



Email

- 1-888-320-8384
- Monday-Friday
- 8:00 AM-5:00 PM

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Guest Presentation: Linda Howley



Information Item: Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress (M-STEP) Overview

- >What it is
- How Michigan's students are doing



After Committee Work

Member Questions/Comments/ Announcements

- Perspectives of Members at Large and organization/ agency representatives
- Topics for Future Committee of the Whole or Sub-Committee or Executive Committee Consideration
 - Homeless students with IEPs
 - Other?

Presentations by Organizations Seeking Seats on the SEAC

- Michigan Pupil Personnel Accounting & Attendance Association (MPAAA)
- Michigan Association of Computer Users in Learning (MACUL)
- Michigan Reading Association (MRA)
- Network of Michigan Educators
- Down Syndrome Association of West Michigan (DSAWM)



Meeting Wrap-Up



Reminders and Forecasts

March Committee of the Whole



- Results of voting on potential new SEAC organization recommendations
- Michigan Behavior & Learning Support Initiative (Mi-BLSi) guest presentation
- Election of 2016-2017 Executive Committee members
- Continuing committee work

Thank You For Participating

Next Meeting:
March 2, 2016
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