

Settlement Work Group Meeting

March 1, 2021

Redding Consortium for Educational Equity

Welcome & Roll Call



Roll Call— **Work group members—please type your name in the Chat**



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Approval of Minutes

Meeting Goals

- Learn
- Connect the settlement to systemic and equitable change
- Review new regulation

Legislation Introduced - Status Update

Bill	Status
Senate Bill 56: Opportunity Funding	Assigned to Senate Education
House Bill 86: K-3 Basic Special Education Unit	Assigned to House Education
House Bill 100: Mental Health Services Unit for Elementary Schools	Assigned to House Education

Settlement Implementation Update

Department of Education revises Major Capital Improvement Program to require Equity Statements

“Local school district submissions for a Certificate of Necessity shall provide an equity statement that identifies the demographic information (e.g. race, Low Income, English Learner) of the students who are expected to attend the new school, use a new facility, or benefit from an approved Major Capital Project and how the Major Capital Project impacts equitable distributions of new and renovated buildings throughout the school district.”

- **Meets settlement requirements word for word**
- Questions & Discussion

Presentation:

Dr. Gary Henry

Dean, University of Delaware College of
Education and Human Development

Presentation:

Kristin Dwyer

Director of Legislation & Political Organizing,
Delaware State Education Association

Next Steps

- Survey
- Other presentations

Future Meetings & Contact Info

Future Meetings:

- March 22, 2021
- April 12, 2021
- May 3, 2021

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