



## BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

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### BOARD OF EDUCATION OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY EQUITY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

**May 23, 2023**

**APPROVED**

The Board of Education of Anne Arundel County Equity Committee met virtually on the above date at 3:09 p.m. Committee Chair, Zachary McGrath opened the meeting. Committee members, Melissa Ellis, Michelle Corkadel and Joanna Tobin were in attendance. Staff members present were Monique Jackson, Deputy Superintendent of Student and School Support; Maisha Gillins, Executive Direction of Equity & Accelerated Student Achievement; Katara West, Equity Specialist; and Diane Howell, Executive Assistant to the Board.

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mr. McGrath called the meeting to order at 3:09 p.m.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:** The meeting minutes of March 28, 2023 were approved by consensus.

**MONTHLY STUDENT RECOGNITION:** Mr. McGrath and the committee members reviewed the updated draft nomination form for the “Student Equity in Action Spotlight”. Several suggestions were made including, the removal of the word “assemblies” on section #3. Language will be reviewed to better understand the purpose of section #4.

Ms. Corkadel moved that the application be open to both individuals and groups; Dr. Tobin seconded. The committee members voted to approve 4-0.

**GOOD OF THE ORDER:** The committee will review the next steps for the project at their final Equity Committee meeting on June 20, 2023. Once the committee approves the final project it will go to the full board for consideration.

**ADJOURN:** The committee adjourned at 4:01 p.m.