

Legislative Committee Meeting
Monday, October 19, 2015
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon
MABE Conference Room

Joy Schaefer, Chair

Agenda

1.	Welcome and Introductions	Information	Joy Schaefer	
2.	Reports from Board Members	Information & Discussion	All	15 min.
3.	Review and Adopt 2016 Legislative Priorities & Positions (attached)	Discussion & Action	Joy Schaefer/ John Woolums/ All	50 min.
4.	Discuss Draft Legislation to Establish a Blue Ribbon Education Funding Commission (attached)	Information & Discussion	Joy Schaefer	20 min.
5.	State Adequacy Study & MABE Ad Hoc Committee Update	Information & Discussion	Francie Glendening/ Donna Brightman	15 min.
6.	College and Career Readiness Update (attached)	Information & Discussion	John Woolums	10 min.
7.	Calendar Friday, February 12th – MABE Legislative Day Luncheon	Information	Joy Schaefer	5 min.
8.	Adjournment	Closing Remarks	Joy Schaefer	5 min.

See Reverse for Meeting Materials

Meeting Materials & Resources for the October 19, 2015 Meeting

Draft 2016 Legislative Positions
(attached)

Draft Blue Ribbon Education Funding Commission Bill
(attached)

State Adequacy Study Update

Materials from October 13, 2015 Stakeholder Meeting:

- [Agenda](#)
- [Stakeholder Group Presentation](#)
- [Geographic Cost of Education Adjustment for Maryland](#)
- [Analysis of School Finance Equity and Local Wealth Measures in Maryland](#)
- [Link to MSDE Website](#)

College and Career Readiness Update

MSDE Briefing on the Status of PreK-12 Assessments and Transition Courses (attached)

2015 – 2016 Legislative Committee Calendar

- October 19, 2015
- November 16, 2015
- December 14, 2015
- January 11, 2016 – 12:30 to 2:30 (following LSA)
 - January 13, 2016 – First Day of Session
- February 1, 2016
- **Friday, February 12th – MABE Legislative Day Luncheon**
- February 29, 2016
- March 14, 2016
- April 4, 2016 (*Change*)
 - April 11, 2016 – Final Day of Session
- April 25, 2016 – Session Summary