

From: Jill Camnitz
Sent: Wed, 20 Apr 2022 20:10:24 +0000
To: Megan Boren;Patrick Miller
Cc: Teachers Roundtable;Albert Eckel
Subject: Re: Follow up

Eric is trying to help, he just doesn't have the whole picture. I'm thinking maybe I reach out to update him on where we are. Thoughts?

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From: Megan Boren <megan.boren@sreb.org>
Sent: Wednesday, April 20, 2022 11:03:11 AM
To: Patrick Miller <patrickmiller@greene.k12.nc.us>
Cc: Teachers Roundtable <SREB@eandvgroup.com>; Albert Eckel <albert@eandvgroup.com>; Jill Camnitz <Jill.Camnitz@dpi.nc.gov>
Subject: RE: Follow up

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Thanks for forwarding. I thought that CT wanted to squash outside focus groups and surveys? Or has that tune changed, per the PSF plan below? Will Julie be working with them to control what is said? Jill has spoken with Julie and offered E&V to help her and Maureen with whatever they need for the teacher sessions (as well as Tabari for some principal/supt sessions).

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To easily book a conference call with me, use my online scheduler [Calendly](#)

From: Patrick Miller <patrickmiller@greene.k12.nc.us>
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Chair Davis has encouraged the Public School Forum to "help."

Patrick C. Miller, Ed.D.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Mary Ann Wolf <mawolf@ncforum.org>
Date: April 20, 2022 at 10:21:47 AM EDT
To: Patrick Miller <patrickmiller@greene.k12.nc.us>, Eric Davis <ericcdavis10@gmail.com>

Cc: Julie Pittman <Julie.Pittman@dpi.nc.gov>, Mebane Rash <mrash@ednc.org>, Deanna Townsend-Smith <dtownsend-smith@ncforum.org>, Lauren Fox <lfox@ncforum.org>
Subject: Re: Follow up

Hi Patrick and Eric,

Thank you so much for your willingness to explore how we might help solicit input from stakeholders who may not have yet weighed in on this proposal. I have also had a chance to talk with Mebane, Julie, Deanna, and Lauren.

Based upon these discussions and hearing more from Julie about her and Maureen's teacher focus groups across the state, it seems that it would be important for the Forum to host a series of virtual focus groups across the state for school leaders, district leaders (including HR Directors), and EPPs and pre-service educators.

Additionally, we could also consider a survey (where individuals identify their roles) for broader opportunities for input.

We would share the proposed pathways and licensure plan and any resources to help explain it, and we would want to ensure that there was a possibility of the input or questions informing some of the details of the plan and/or the implementation of the plan.

We will synthesize our findings and also be happy to present them to PEPSC or the SBE as helpful.

Thank you for all you are doing,
MA

On Mon, Apr 18, 2022 at 5:05 PM Patrick Miller <patrickmiller@greene.k12.nc.us> wrote:

Not sure but thank you for the offer! What do you have in mind?

Maureen Stover is planning to hold regional teacher meetings (virtually) with the help of Julie Pittman to present the model and get feedback. We are also working with Eckel & Vaughn to do some other things to counter the misinformation/negativity that's out there. Anything we can do will help!

If there is a delay in my response time, I apologize. I am traveling with my family during the first part of Spring Break and I only have a few times that I am checking email, etc.

Thanks!

On Mon, Apr 18, 2022 at 2:44 PM Eric Davis <ericcdavis10@gmail.com> wrote:

Mary Ann

Thanks for following up. I believe we do need help in educating teachers and the public about this proposal and clarifying the current interpretations.

Patrick

How can we best leverage this offer?

On Mon, Apr 18, 2022 at 12:52 PM Mary Ann Wolf <mawolf@ncforum.org> wrote:

Hi Patrick and Eric,

I hope you both had a nice holiday weekend. We have been hearing a lot of discussion among educators, EPPs, and others on the licensure pathways. I wanted to check back in to see if there's anything we can do to help collect input, but I also understand if you have what you need. Thanks for all you do,
MA

On Sun, Mar 20, 2022 at 3:07 PM Patrick Miller <patrickmiller@greene.k12.nc.us> wrote:

and get back to you. Sorry - I must've hit send before I finished typing!

On Sun, Mar 20, 2022 at 3:06 PM Patrick Miller <patrickmiller@greene.k12.nc.us> wrote:

Thanks. I will relay this to the group

On Sun, Mar 20, 2022 at 12:16 PM <mrash@ednc.org> wrote:

Patrick and Eric,

An offer from Mary Ann and I to set up a time to talk about any surveying, focus groups, and/or qualitative analysis of feedback we can do to be helpful to you both. We had some good suggestions this week, for example, that a focus group with HR directors might be really helpful in diagnosing pain points and also with special ed teachers on their evaluation options.

We stand ready to help when it is good for you.



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