

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY

INFORMATIONAL REPORT

PRESENTATION ON THE

Voice of Equity: Elevating Student Voices

January 23, 2023

Background:

Voices of Equity (VoE) is a student led organization in Harford County Public Schools that started during the 2019-2020 school year. Their mission is to educate others within our respective communities and provide a safe space for everyone to speak their truths to promote equitable outcomes and futures. They have been featured on a local news channel and on the Harford Cable Network. There are currently 11 schools with VoE groups; however, participation is expanding every year.

Discussion:

This presentation will address the origin of VoE, participating schools, school and district-wide initiatives, and individual student experiences.

Superintendent's Recommendation:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends the Board of Education accept this informational report on Voices of Equity: Elevating Student Voices.