

Office of the Superintendent of Schools
MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Rockville, Maryland

July 17, 2019

MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the Board of Education
From: Jack R. Smith, Superintendent of Schools
Subject: Inventory of Commemorative Plaques (06-11-19-01-C)

Question C

Mrs. O'Neill requested an inventory of all commemorative plaques in MCPS buildings throughout the county, especially at Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School.

Response

The process to develop an inventory for all historical markers installed in Montgomery County Public Schools buildings will require a time frame of several months. This is necessary to survey and document the historical data. After the opening of schools in September 2019, staff in the Department of Facilities Management will work with staff in schools to conduct the inventory of all commemorative plaques. We will provide this information to the Board of Education.

In addition, we are pleased to share that the World War II memorial plaque from the old Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School was salvaged. The memorial plaque was reinstalled adjacent to the historic front entrance of the school that faces East West Highway.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Andrew M. Zuckerman, chief operating officer, at 240-740-3050 or Mr. James Song, director, Department of Facilities Management, at 240-314-1064.

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