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Good Evening!

I must say the weather has been lovely today and this weekend. I hope that you had time over the weekend to get out and enjoy and explore. This morning I attended the virtual Greater Flint Health Coalition Board of Directors meeting. The Directors heard a presentation about the new COVID-19 testing sites around the Flint area. Mott Community College has the latest site and was featured during the discussion. Over the weekend, 107 people were tested at MCC in Parking Lot S. The MCC site is currently a Kroger-sponsored test site that will change into a State-sponsored pop-up testing site on July 1. A discussion took place during the meeting about attracting more people to participate in COVID-19 testing that is offered across the city. Many reasons were given about why individuals are not taking advantage of the testing; the Department of Health and Human Services and other entities will be attempting to break through the myriad of barriers. The Directors heard an update on the progress of COVID-19 contact tracing occurring in the area and the FDA Convalescent Plasma Program. [I have attached the resolution that was passed by Directors to “Declare Racism a Public Health Crisis and Commitment to Function as an Anti-Racist Organization”.](#)

This is the time in our Professional Development Assessment Program cycle to complete the one-year evaluations for the year and give feedback. If you remember, this is a process that began for Exempt employees last year. This week I will be evaluating if Executive Cabinet members met goals set last June, while working with each one of them to develop personal career and professional goals to be attained next year. Most of the day was spent listening, giving feedback, and discussing Executive Cabinet members’ personal career and professional goals.

Chief Financial and Administrative Officer Larry Gawthrop has worked with the Executive Cabinet to develop fiscal guidelines that the College will be following for the foreseeable future. [I have attached his letter to the Communication for your review.](#)

Looking Forward,

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