Dear Stakeholder:

The William Penn School District School Climate Sub委员会 would like to inform you of some of our next steps that we will be asking for your participation with. First, though, let us briefly tell about the goals of this subcommittee. The subcommittee includes district leadership, school leaders, school counselors, teachers, parents, and community members. We are conducting district-wide research in several areas in order to help us create a plan for the district to implement to improve school climate. Your input is crucial to making this work so we hope that not only will you participate, but you will encourage others to participate as well.

Now, we want to tell you a couple things you can anticipate in the near future. Soon you will be receiving a link to a survey relating to how school climate is defined, how school success is defined, what resources are in place to meet those goals, and what resources are needed to improve school climate. There will be the opportunity for parents, students, school staff, and community members to participate through May 26, 2020. Additionally, we will be conducting focus groups over a virtual platform to have a more open-ended discussion about school climate, school success, and school resources. The focus groups will also be held with parents, students, school staff, and community members. Our aim is to begin reviewing data in early June.

We’d like to encourage your input and participation in this process as it is key for the district to be able to meet the needs of its students, staff, and community members. If you have any input regarding ways to disseminate this information and encourage participation we’d like to hear from you. Please contact Pam Bookman at pbookman@wpsd.k12.pa.us or Marissa Taddonio at mtaddonio@wpsd.k12.pa.us.

Sincerely,

The William Penn SD School Climate Subcommittee