

## **COLLEGE LEADERSHIP TEAM NOTES: FEBRUARY 21, 2017**

**Grant Proposal**—Michele DeFreece detailed a proposal for a Diversity Weekend program that will be submitted for funding under SUNY's Explorations in Diversity and Academic Excellence initiative. The program would bring faculty, staff and community residents together for two days to explore diversity topics from a variety of perspectives.

PIF Submissions—Kelli Ligeikis outlined a proposal for a Center of Excellence in Teaching and Learning that would offer on-going faculty professional development opportunities around the themes of pedagogy, advising, and mentoring. The request was approved for inclusion in our Professional Improvement Fund submissions. Kelli also received approval to have SUNY Delhi be included as a partner in a Monroe Community College PIF proposal to fund Ad Astra, an enterprise class scheduling software platform that would integrate with Banner and DegreeWorks.

**MS** in Nursing Administration—The Provost reported that an external review of the proposal was very positive.

**Advocacy**—President Laliberte and Joel Smith were scheduled to host a campus visit for newly-elected Assemblyman Brian Miller following the Leadership Team meeting.