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TO: School District Superintendents
Principals
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FROM: Kari Eakins, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: October 26, 2020

SUBJECT: Malcolm Wallop Civic Engagement Program

VIRTUAL LESSON AVAILABLE ON ELECTION HACKING

The University of Wyoming [Malcolm Wallop Civic Engagement Program](#) was launched in 2017 to support three areas: Funding student research/ internships, faculty engagement projects, and community event programming. With the onset of COVID-19, the program initiated the Malcolm Wallop K-12 Virtual Curriculum Project. This project is named in honor of the late U.S. Senator Malcolm Wallop, who was known for supporting dialogue on important issues of local, state, national, and international interest.

A sample of forthcoming digital resources, "History of Elections Hacking," is available now, including a [video](#) and teacher [resource guide](#).

The Wallop Civic Engagement Program's goal is to create a catalog of content for K-12 teachers that aligns with one or more of the Wyoming Social Studies Content and Performance Standards. More resources will become available in the coming months, specifically for use in the spring semester.

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