MEMORANDUM

TO: Lycoming Law Association

FROM: John P. Pietrovito, Chairperson

DATE: January 8, 2018

RE: Annual Report of the Mock Trial Committee for 2017

The District Competitions for our district (District 2) were held primarily in the United States Courthouse for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. Terra Koernig, Esquire, served as the Regional Coordinator for the 2017 Mock Trial Competition.

Once again, the Regional Final Competition was held in the United States Federal Courthouse for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, in Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

Attorneys and paralegals from Lycoming County volunteered their time to serve as jurors for the District and Regional Competitions held in Lycoming County.

The Lycoming Law Association presented a plaque to Montoursville High School and the students who participated in the 2017 Mock Trial Competition. The plaque recognized the students' hard work and dedication in winning the District 2 Competition. The Lycoming Law Association and the Mock Trial Committee will present plaques to the District 2 and Regional Competition winners in the upcoming 2018 competition. The LLA and the Committee also plan to present framed certificates to each student who is voted Best Witness and Best Advocate for each trial in the District 2 and Regional Competition in 2018.

In 2017, Montoursville High School was the only Lycoming County school that participated in the Mock Trial Competition. The Mock Trial Committee in conjunction with the Lycoming Law Association hopes to increase the number of Lycoming County schools that participate in the competition beginning in the Fall of 2018.