West Contra Costa Unified School District Community Advisory Committee for Special Education (CAC)

Comité Asesor Comunitario de Educación Especial 10/04/2021 - 5:30 p.m.

Via Zoom Meeting ■ *Por medio de Zoom*:

https://wccusd.zoom.us/j/96139454201

CAC Members Present: MargotAishiteru, Shakira Reynolds, Jen Cesario, Nancie Rouse, Zelon Harrison, Jeanine Bishop, Patricia Albeno, Lisa Steiner, Elizabeth Bundschu-Mooney

Staff Members Present: Kristen Hardy, Darlene Almeida, Sonja Neely-Johnson, Ignacio (interpreter)

Guests Present: Leslie Reckler, Maribel Lopez, Demitria Saunders

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MINUTES/ACTA					
#	ltem ■ Tema				
1	Welcome and Introductions ■ Bienvenida y Presentaciones				
	 The meeting was called to order at 5:40PM by Margot Aishiteru All attendees were invited to complete the <u>roll call form</u> dropped into the chat. 				
2	Public Announcements ■ Anuncios publicos (drop it in the chat)				
	 Maribel Lopez (GO Pubic Schools): Community led committees occuring - started in July. Parents are hungry for resources and they want to know how to connect with their students' teachers. Shakira Reynolds: DLCAPS next meeting on Tuesday at 6:30PM. Jeanine Bishop: Parent Education series continues this Saturday at 11:00AM. See website and Peachjar for more information. 				
3	September 13, 2021 Minutes ■ Acta del 13 de septiembre de 2021				
	 Motion: Approve Minutes - Shakira Reynolds Second: Zelon Harrison Result: Motion Passed - September 13, 2021 Minutes Approved 				
4	SELPA Director's Update ■ Actualización del Director de SELPA				
	 Kristen Hardy: Updates on staffing.CCEIS, Learning Recovery and ADR grants, COVID response, Compliance, Staffing: onboarding 25 paraprofessionals. Oct 11. Paras will receive some level of training in advance of entering the classrooms.				

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- 2 additional social workers, 2 SCOWs to support return to school.
- Expand the teacher residency program.
- Expand partnerships with CBOs to support child find.
- o 2 contracted BCBAs to support behavior across all campuses.
- See slides for more details.
- COVID response:
 - o mandatory vaccines for staff, contractors, volunteers, and students 12+.
 - Medical exemptions will be allowed.
 - Stay tuned for a vaccination clinic near you.
- Compliance:
 - o October 6th is Census Day for students. a snap shot of SPED student body.
- Disproportionality: thank you Darlene for compiling this data.

Comments/Questions:

- Jeanine: Parent Workshops (see slide). Sessions will be posted on the website under parent trainings and events. - informative resources to define the IEP process.
- Zelon black students are over identified but we did not see it called out in the slade deck and it needs to be called out.
- Was an interpreter available at the parent sessions? Yes.

5 Sub-Committees ■ *Subcomités*

District Local Control Accountability Plan Parent Student Committee (DLCAPS)

Plan de Responsabilidad del Control Local del Distrito - Comité de Padres y Estudiantes (DLCAPS)

Margot Aishiteru: First meeting of the year October 12

Medi-Cal - October 12

- Kristen Hardy: First meeting of the year October 12
- 6 Old Business Temas Anteriores
- **7** New Business Temas Nuevos
- 8 | Public Comment Comentario Público
 - Jeanine: Would like input on the website. It will be on the November Agenda.
 - In the meantime, please look at MDUSD and SFUSD, and also our website to see what options there are.
 - Jeanine is working on the SPED page of the website to make it more accessible.
 - She has an ask of the CAC: please look at Mount Diablo Unified, DUSD and SFUSD, and also our website to see what options there are.
 - Accessing the website is virtually impossible.
 - O Thank you Jeanine for wanting to improve it.
 - She now can edit the page.

9 | Adjournment ■ Fin de la reunión

- Next Meeting is November 1 at 5:30pm
- Agenda items for that meeting due by Monday, October 18, email Margot
- Meeting adjourned by Margot Aishiteru

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2021-2022 Meeting Schedule

Calendario de Reuniones del 2021-2022

Date Fecha	When <i>Cuando</i>	Event Name Nombre del Evento	Details <i>Detailes</i>
Monday, September 13, 2021 Lunes, 13 de septiembre de 2021	5:30 pm	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	Via Zoom Meeting Por medio de Zoom
Monday, October 4, 2021 Lunes, 4 de octubre de 2021	5:30 pm	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	Via Zoom Meeting Por medio de Zoom
Monday, November 1, 2021 Lunes, 1 de noviembre de 2021	5:30 pm	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	Via Zoom Meeting Por medio de Zoom
Monday, December 6, 2021 Lunes, 6 de diciembre de 2021	5:30 pm	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	Via Zoom Meeting Por medio de Zoom
Monday, January 10, 2022 Lunes, 10 de enero de 2022	TBD	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	TBD
Monday, February 7, 2022 Lunes, 7 de febrero de 2022	TBD	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	TBD
Friday, March 4, 2022 Viernes, 4 de marzo de 2022	TBD	You Make a Difference Tu Haces la Diferencia	TBD
Monday, March 7, 2022 Lunes, 7 de marzo de 2022	TBD	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	TBD
Monday, April 11, 2022 Lunes, 11 de abril de 2022	TBD	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	TBD
Monday, May 2, 2022 Lunes, 2 de mayo de 2022	TBD	CAC Meeting Reunión del CAC	TBD