



Riverside County Special Education Local Plan Area
Coordinating Council

MINUTES

January 17, 2020

9:00 a.m.

Riverside County SELPA

Coordinating Council Agreements

Respect group's time

Be present and fully engage with presenter

Respect confidentiality to ensure open dialogue that promotes participation

Respect individual member's ideas

Maintain a welcoming environment that is supportive of all members and promotes levity

Members *Representative

Paulina Nwuba

Barbara Wolford

Tara Alford

Jennifer Martin

Karina Becerra-Murillo *Christina Segovia

Donna Wolter, Past Chair & Zone 1 Representative

Lisa Hall

Zhanna Preston, Chair

Jennie Labriola

Victoria Parkinson, Zone 5 Representative

Edward Singh, Zone 6 Representative

Michelle Ruffolo *Leticia Scott

Amil Alzubaidi *Cassandra McNair

Chris Haney Standing Member

Carmen Kaas

Alex Gonzalez, Fiscal Liaison

Michelle Johnson

Kathy Cox, Charter Representative

Jeff Janis, Vice Chair & Zone 3 Representative

Alvord Unified School District

Banning Unified School District

Desert Sands Unified School District

Hemet Unified School District

Jurupa Unified School District

Lake Elsinore Unified School District

Menifee Union School District

Murrieta Valley Unified School District

Nuvew Union School District

Palm Springs Unified School District

Palo Verde Unified School District

Perris Elementary School District

Perris Union High School District

Riverside County Office of Education

Romoland School District

San Jacinto Unified School District

Santa Rosa Academy

Springs Charter Schools

Val Verde Unified School District

Members Absent

Lisa Kistler, Zone 2 Representative
Jessica Haupt
Santos Campos
Sue Scott

Beaumont Unified School District
Coachella Valley Unified School District
Leadership Military Academy
Desert Center Unified School District

Riverside County SELPA Team Members

Leah Davis, Executive Director
Jeremy Stevens, ERMHS Coordinator
Yazan Khoury, ERMHS Case Manager
Kellie Kaukani, PL&D Coordinator

Ricky Alyassi, Director
Christa Smith, SELPA Coordinator
Chad Petties, ERMHS Case Manager

1. Call to Order

Zhanna Preston, Coordinating Council Chair

The Coordinating Council Meeting was called to order at 9:03 A.M. on Friday, January 17, 2020

2. Welcome and Introductions

Leah Davis, RC SELPA Executive Director

- a. Pomodoro Time Adjustment Discussion (50/10)

Public Comments

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.3 and Education Code Section 35145.5, any person wishing to speak to any item on the agenda, or any other relevant matter, will be heard at this time. Each person will have a maximum of three (3) minutes to address the Coordinating Council.

Action Items

3. Approve Minutes from December 13, 2019 Coordinating Council Meeting (Attachment 3)

It was moved by Jeff Janis and seconded by Kathy Cox

Motion carried 16/ 0 / 0

4. Approve Revised Riverside County SELPA IEP Eligibility Form (Attachment 4)

It was moved by Victoria Parkinson and seconded by Kathy Cox

Motion carried 16/ 0 / 0

Discussion Items

5. Updates from Community Advisory Committee - Ricky Alyassi, Director

a. Post-Secondary Transition Workshop - January 24, 2020

Transition workshop is on Friday. Multiple vendors have confirmed they will be in attendance. Ashley will present in the morning, and the afternoon will be open for parents to meet with vendors.

b. CAC Movie Night - February 20, 2020

First CAC movie night, the theme is "Out of this World". SELPA has purchased the license to view the movie. Please share the flyer.

c. CAC Recognition Event -" Recognition Round-Up" - April 15, 2020

This year's Recognition Event's theme is "Recognition Round Up". RCOE has donated "cow people " for every LEA to decorate and display at the Recognition Event. Please turn in your nomination forms ASAP. Number of nominee slots per district have been sent out to Directors. Each year the number in attendance increases.

d. CAC Inclusion Committee Nominations

Professional Learning and Development Coordinator has sent an email to inclusion members, for nominations. February 26 at 10 am-11am will be a full Inclusion Committee meeting. CAC committee is fully committed to setting the standards from the start. Inclusion is about positive work and spreading the inclusion. Kristin Enriquez is the chairperson of the Inclusion Committee. If you would like to nominate someone for the inclusion committee, please send Kellie the information and she will reach out to them.

6. Compliance Monitoring Activities - Leah Davis, Executive Director

No updates at this time.

7. Riverside County SELPA Local Plan Revision Update

Next Local Plan meeting will be held on February 13, 2020 at 9 A.M. Please nominate people to participate. Add names to the attached list. Important to have as much information as possible.

8. Mental Health Funding Update

SELPA has had two SELPA Mental Health Funding meetings. Discussion is around WRAP and RTC services. Recommendations discussed:

- all the money to go back to the districts.
- SELPA to provide WRAP services.

It was decided by the committee that SELPA and LEA's share risk of 50/50 split funding (50% accessing the pool of SELPA and 50% district funding). To begin in the 2021 school year. Will be brought forward to Governance, and SELPA Finance in February.

It was asked if the LEA would have more flexibility with WRAP providers? If the LEA requests a particular vendor, please notify the ERMHS team. Directors have requested a draft memo for LEAs to send to their CBOs.

Adjournment

It was moved by Kathy Cox and seconded by Jennifer Martin that the Coordinating Council adjourn at 9:43 A.M.

Motion carried 16/ 0 / 0