



Riverside County Special Education Local Plan Area
 Coordinating Council
MINUTES

March 11, 2022 - 9:00 a.m.
Riverside County SELPA

Remote Meeting Locations:

Palo Verde USD 825 N. Lovekin Blvd. Blythe, CA 92225	SCALE Leadership Academy 14816 Central Ave. Chino Hills, CA 91710	Perris Union High SD 515 E. 7th Street Perris, CA 92570	Coachella Valley USD 87-225 Church St. Thermal, CA 92274
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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 Present *Representative

Paulina Nwuba	Alvord Unified School District
Barbara Wolford *Krystal Steele	Banning Unified School District
Gaby Toledo	Beaumont Unified School District
Eeron Wilson	Coachella Valley Unified School District
Charity Plaxton-Hennings	Desert Sands Unified School District
Robert Broecker	Hemet Unified School District
Karina Becerra-Murillo, Zone 4 Representative	Jurupa Unified School District
Donna Wolter, Zone 1 Representative	Lake Elsinore Unified School District
Santos Campos *Art Paz	Leadership Military Academy
Julie Hong	Menifee Union School District
Zhanna Preston, Past Chair	Murrieta Valley Unified School District
Jennie Kusters-Labriola	Nuview Union School District
Victoria Parkinson, Vice Chair & Zone 5 Representative	Palm Springs Unified School District
Edward Singh, Zone 6 Representative	Palo Verde Unified School District
Michelle Ruffolo *Leticia Scott	Perris Elementary School District
Amil Alzubaidi	Perris Union High School District
Cassandra McNair, Standing Member	Riverside County Office of Education

Carmen Hopkins *Candace Boulais	Romoland School District
Alex Gonzalez, Fiscal Liaison & Zone 2 Representative	San Jacinto Unified School District
Anastasia Bradshaw, Charter Representative	Santa Rosa Academy
Gina Corby-Potter *Lisa Delaney-Hines	SCALE Academy
Jeff Janis, Chair	Val Verde Unified School District

Members Absent

Gregory Sackos	Desert Center Unified School District
Courtney Cook	Springs Charter Schools

Riverside County SELPA Team Members

Leah Davis, Executive Director	Jordan Hulstrom, SELPA Coordinator
Jeremy Stevens, ERMHS Coordinator	Christa Smith, SELPA Coordinator
Yazan Khoury, ERMHS Case Manager	Chad Petties, ERMHS Case Manager
Kellie Kaukani, PL&D Coordinator	

1. Call to Order

Jeff Janis, Coordinating Council Chair

The Coordinating Council Meeting was called to order at 9:03 A.M. on Friday, Mar 11, 2022.

2. Welcome and Introductions

Leah Davis, RC SELPA Executive Director

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. Public Comment may be made in person at the Riverside County SELPA Office or at any of the remote locations noted above.

Action Items

3. Approve Minutes from February 11, 2022 Coordinating Council Meeting (Attachment 3)

It was moved by Zhanna Preston and seconded by Donna Wolter
Motion carried 22/ 0 / 0

Discussion Items

- 4. Updates from Community Advisory Committee** - Jordan Hulstrom, Coordinator
CAC presentation and business meeting will be held Tuesday evening. There will be a panel on how related services can be supported in the home. Panel members are representing Murrieta, Alvord and RCOE.
It is recognition event time. This year's theme is "We rise by Lifting Others", to be held at the Val Verde High School gymnasium. Our goal is to receive nominees by the next Coordinating Council meeting.
- 5. Compliance Monitoring Activities** - Leah Davis, Executive Director
 - a. Annual Determination Notification Letter**
Anticipated date of arrival is in late March. Only those districts in significant disproportionately have been notified.
 - b. Changes to Special Education Monitoring (CDE Webinar Review)**

CIM/Special Education Monitoring 2022 slideshow reviewed. Compliance and Improvement Monitoring.

c. Targeted and Intensive Next Steps

Things that will be monitored for Spring 2022. Working on timelines, eligibility, annual plan review. Some districts have been notified if they were identified for new issues or continued in significant disproportionality. The focus is on performance in the LRE. Those of you that have UDL, Co-teaching, inclusion initiative on your plans. Looking for disproportionality.

If you are at the top of the pyramid, you will get direct support. Targeted will have assistance provided. In universal you will have resources made available to you.

Looks like a significant number of our districts will be in targeted and intensive monitoring, as well as Director's support. What is the CMI process overall? Stress root-cause analysis. Will have Professional Development opportunities.

There are 3 levels of intensive monitoring and two levels of targeted monitoring.

The entire plan is due until October/November of 2022.

RC SELPA IEP timeline workshops are

That number 5 in AB130 was added to the LCAP, focusing on IEP meetings and eligibility. Corey is hosting a CIM Spring monitoring work parties in April and May 2022. Heather Defiede is talking specifically to directors. Corey's portion is directed to data people. How to do all the data checks, calendaring.

6. Coalition for Adequate Funding for Special Education & SELPA Administrators of California Highlights - Leah Davis, Executive Director

a. Legislative Highlights

b. Fiscal Highlights

c. Program Highlights

Discussion item pushed out to next month's Coordinating Council meeting.

Information Items

7. Personnel Data Report

Looking at pulling the staff report. Fall one report. Redoing the forms. SELPA enters all of it and submits to CDE.

8. Professional Learning and Development Updates- Kellie Kaukani, PL&D Coordinator

- Through the supporting inclusive leads grant, Katie Novak.-April 25, 2022 with two more sessions in early fall.
- Essential Strategies for Teaching Students with Disabilities to Think Mathematically. Four virtual sessions. May 3rd is the first session. Convince a couple teachers to attend. They are running a second session open statewide 4 P.M.-5:30 P.M.. Waiting for a flier. About 24 registered. April 15th is the deadline to register. Open to gen ed staff as well. SELPA will get books out to participants.
- MH Symposium May 2nd. 111 registered. In-person conference at the Riverside Convention Center.
- AT training requested.
- Wednesday, Apr 6, 2022-Charity Plaxton-Hennings 9-10:30 A.M.
- April 27, 2022-Jennie LaBriola-Kosters-9-10:30 A.M.

9. Mental Health - Month in Review - ERMHS Team

a. Non-public School Updates

254 students across SELPA.

- Somerset had their review. No corrective actions.
- Big Springs-No corrective actions.

- RC SELPA continues to monitor Childhelp along with East Valley SELPA weekly visits.

b. WRAP and RTC Updates

12 RTC students

31 WRAP students

- Placement in RTC continues to be challenging. Especially if DCFS is attached to the case.
- Chad is heading Classroom Behavior Management. Murrieta, palm springs, and now Beaumont, Alvord and Romoland. Supporting students at the classroom level.
- NPS Forum on Monday.
- Dr. Katie Novak is the Keynote for RC SELPAs MH Symposium.
- Process of developing ER/IR training. Training was requested at the last CC for students expelled.

10. SELPA System Improvement Leads Update - Leah Davis, Executive Director

Official TA provider for those that are in targeted or intensive monitoring. Root cause analysis are being hosted across the state. We will host a root cause analysis for our area, date TBD. Have new videos of high leverage videos posted on the website. RC SELPA counterparts with San Gabriel Valley as well. Website has been redesigned. Data office hours and PD are on the website as well. Continue to check the website.

Adjournment

It was moved by Charity Plaxton-Hennings and seconded by Victoria Parkinson that the Coordinating Council meeting be adjourned at 9:49 A.M. on Friday, Mar 11, 2022.