Community Advisory Committee Agenda

Date: October 5, 2021
Meeting Time: 9:00-10:30 a.m.
Location: Virtual Access https://bit.ly/3mGHbSu

I. Introduction, Welcome, and Attendees
   a. Kirstin Comstock, SELPA Program Coordinator
   b. Kathy Smiley, SELPA Program Specialist
   c. Karen Mulvany, SCDD Representative, RAC Sacramento
   d. Sonya Bingaman, SCDD Representative
   e. Kelly Medina, Board Approved CAC, Placerville USD
   f. Megan Lorenzo, Board Approved CAC, Rescue USD

II. Sign In
   Community Comments: Time will be given to speakers at the discretion of the Chairperson. The law allows the public to address the Committee on any matter, not on the agenda, but the law prohibits action by the Committee on non-agenda items. Issues raised by the public may be referred to a future meeting agenda for CAC discussion. Please limit comments to two minutes per individual.

III. Consent/Action Items:
   a. Minutes from the CAC Meeting held on April 27, 2021
      i. Megan moved to approve, Kelly seconded
   b. Today’s Agenda
      i. Megan moved to approve, Kelly seconded

IV. Staff Reports:
   a. SELPA Update
      i. COVID-19 Updates- All districts are opened to full in person learning.
      ii. Caldor Fire Updates- 7 school districts were closed. One school within Pioneer District was destroyed. The fire did significantly impact our county.
      iii. *Local Plan- CAC will need to review in January 2022
      iv. Professional Learning Opportunity- Charter SELPA has an offering for parents to have families participate in a virtual scavenger hunt of procedural safeguards this afternoon.
   b. District Update
      i. Rescue- has invested in outdoor learning to avoid having to have students wear masks at school (umbrellas, clipboards, etc). New Director of Special Education, new SDC Teacher and new Behaviorist.
      ii. Placerville- Adhering to COVID protocols. Due to the fire, air quality has been a big factor and indoor learning has been a challenge.

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c. Agency Update
   i. State Council for Developmental Disabilities-Dental care flyers was shared. SCDD has partnered with Regional Center and local dentists to increase the number of students who access oral healthcare services. RAC meeting is Nov 19th- new legislation will be shared. Also, SCDD shared a push for self determination support and training.
   ii. Warmline Resources- New Executive Director Pan Cheuh

d. Public Comment
   i. Karen requested the minutes be publicly made available
   ii. Sonya shared that Nevada County is looking at increasing information for families with English Language Learners.

V. Information/Discussion Items:
   a. Bylaws Adoption - was reviewed last Spring and will be sent out in our follow up email
   b. Legislative Day- will be May 4-2022. Parents/SELPAs/Legislators where stories are shared, and collaboration happens with individualized meetings with our local Legislators.
   c. 2021-2022 CAC Dates:
      i. October 5, 2021
      ii. January 25, 2022
      iii. April 5, 2022

VI. Request for Agenda Items
   a. Share information for Self Determination.
   b. Mental Health resources for families due to COVID-19 and Caldor Fire.

VII. Adjournment of Meeting and time
   a. Adjournment at 9:56
   b. Motion to adjourn by Megan, seconded by Kelly

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