



State Advisory Council for Parent Involvement in Education

Meeting and Planning Retreat
Tuesday, November 17, 2015
Location: Online Due to Inclement Weather
11:00 am-3:00 pm

Minutes

Members Present: Noemi Aguilar, DJ Anderson, Dr. Diane Bassett, Cindy Daisley, Dr. Kris Greer, Chris Johnson, Kevin Leung, Leslie Levine, Joanna Peters, Kim Watchorn (Vice-Chair), Stacey Zis (Chair)

Members Absent: Amie Baca-Oehlert, Becky Barnes, Dr. Terry Croy Lewis, Cindy Dascher, Jennifer Garcia-Rosendo, Jeff Klein, Sandy Ripplinger, Jan Tanner

Guests and CDE Staff Present: Kirsten Carlile, Pam Christy, Gary Colley, Chelsea Henkel, Senator Evie Hudak, Dr. Cathy Lines, David Ramer, Dr. Brian Sevier

Welcome and Introductions

- Chair Zis welcomed all members and guests and thanked everyone for their flexibility regarding meeting online.
- Members introduced themselves by typing into the chat section.
- Members entered their top SACPIE priority for 2016.

Public Comment

Gary Colley, with the Community Accountability Committee for Douglas County School
District (independent from the school board), is advocating for stronger connections
between school boards and parents and staff on their local School Accountability
Committee (SAC) and District Accountability Committee (DAC). Chair Zis mentioned that
SACPIE and CDE cosponsor SAC and DAC trainings (geared toward parents, as well as
district personnel) that have been very well received. Senator Hudak remarked that a
parent liaison is no longer required for small, rural districts, but remains in place for
large ones. Perhaps SACPIE can investigate this issue.

Approval of Minutes from Tuesday, August 18, 2015

• The minutes were approved without alterations.



Election of New SACPIE Chair and Vice Chair

• Members nominated and voted for Chair Zis and Vice Chair Watchorn to continue their roles.

CDE Update

- Vice Chair Watchorn presented for Dr. Darcy Hutchins:
 - o A recap of Family and School Partnership in Education Month.
 - The expected completion date of the Family, School and Community Partnering (FSCP)
 Survey is summer 2016.
 - o A review of the SACPIE website.
 - The SACPIE Member Feedback Form members will complete and email to Vice Chair Watchorn by November 30, 2015.

Committee Work

- 2015 Committees
 - o Legislated Responsibilities form.
 - o Completion of 2015 goal.
 - o Any final projects or status of projects.
 - Annual Report is due to CDE in December members will email all information and forms to Vice Chair Watchorn by November 30, 2015.
- 2016 Committees
 - Formation of committees Early Childhood, Elementary, Secondary and Higher Education.
 - o 2016 deliverables and goals (aligned with advisory duties)
 - o Co-chairs.
 - Opportunities for collaboration with other committees.
- Committees met; there was no formal report out due to virtual nature of the meeting.

Adjournment

• Chair Zis adjourned the meeting.

Upcoming SACPIE Meetings

Tuesday, February 9, 2016	11:00 am-3:00 pm
Tuesday, May 17, 2016	11:00 am-3:00 pm
Tuesday, August 16, 2016	11:00 am-3:00 pm
Tuesday, November 15, 2016 (Planning Retreat)	11:00 am-3:00 pm

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