

GREATER ANAHEIM SPECIAL EDUCATION LOCAL PLAN AREA

Board Meeting Highlights February 25, 2015

Item 7 (c): Board Members were provided with copies of the agendas for the February, 2015 State SELPA meetings. Board Members were also provided with a copy of the February, 2015 State SELPA Committee summaries.

Item 7 (d) (1): For informational purposes only, Board Members were provided with a copy of a CASBO Newsbreak – CASBO Executive Committee adopts 2015 Legislative Platform.

Item 7 (e) (1): Board Members were provided with the Coalition for Adequate Funding for Special Education SELPA Administrators Bill List (State/Federal) dated January, 2015.

Item 7 (f): Board Members were updated on the current Community Advisory Committee (CAC) activities.

Item 7 (g) (1-7): Board Members were updated on the GASELPA Trainings/Staff Developments that have occurred since the last Board Meeting:

- 1) Common Core State Standards and the Special Educator
 - Frank E. Donovan, Ed.D.
 - Anaheim Union High School District/Hope School – January 23, 2015
- 2) Common Core State Standards
 - Frank E. Donovan, Ed.D.
 - ACSA Region 17 Conference – January 24, 2015
- 3) Do This, Not That!: The Educator's Guide to Working with Mental Health Conditions
 - Tim Halphide, M.A., L.M.F.T., School Psychologist-Diagnostic Center
 - Orange County School District Staff – January 29, 2015
- 4) Understanding the Functions of Behavior: ABCs, Possible Contributing Factors, Analysis, Functions, Functional Equivalence
 - Glenda McHale, GASELPA Autism Services Coordinator
 - Cypress School District/Vessels Elementary – February 5, 2015
- 5) Behavior Intervention Plans: Functions, Strategies/Supports, Interventions and Instruction
 - Glenda McHale, GASELPA Autism Services Coordinator
 - Cypress School District/Vessels Elementary - February 12, 2015
- 6) ABA in the Classroom: Facilitating Independence, Supporting Success
 - Glenda McHale, GASELPA Autism Services Coordinator
 - Los Alamitos Unified School District/Los Alamitos High School – February 13, 2015
- 7) Intensive Classroom Training
 - Glenda McHale, GASELPA Autism Services Coordinator
 - Cypress School District/Vessels Elementary – February 23-27, 2015

Item 8 (a): Board Members reviewed the 2014/15 GASELPA Student Population and Pupil Counts by Disability

Item 8 (b): Board Members reviewed a copy of a letter from Wendy Benkert, Ed.D., Associate Superintendent, Orange County Department of Education regarding the GASELPA 2014/15 First Interim Report

Item 8 (c): Board Members reviewed a copy of a letter from Howard Marinier, Administrator, Business Services, Orange County Department of Education regarding the GASELPA 2013/14 Annual Financial Report Findings and Recommendations.

Item 8 (d): Board Members discussed the Anaheim Union High School District Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan (SERP).

Item 9 (a-e): Board Members took action on personnel items, warrants, purchase orders and contracts.

Item 10 (a): Board Members took action on the Greater Anaheim SELPA funding the cost of LaCinda (Cindy) Hoffman to retire under the Anaheim Union High School District Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan (SERP), effective June 30, 2015.

Item 10 (b): Board Members took action on the Consultant Agreement with Kay Fielder, to provide assistance with SLP supervision and program/staff support to the Greater Anaheim SELPA Member Districts.

Item 10 (c): Board Members took action on increasing two (2) GASELPA Occupational Therapists work week, from .8 FTE to 1 FTE each. Effective April 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015.