

GREATER ANAHEIM SPECIAL EDUCATION LOCAL PLAN AREA

Greater Anaheim SELPA
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GASELPA BOARD MEETING
February 26, 2025
4:30 pm

AGENDA

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
3. **ROLL CALL**
4. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
5. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES** Organizational - January 22, 2025
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7. **PUBLIC RECOGNITION**
 - A. Introduction of Guest
The Board will meet any guests in attendance.
 - B. Visitor Comments
This is an opportunity for the general public to address the Board on non-agenda items. Comments on items that are on the agenda will be heard when the item is considered. All speakers wishing to address the Board must fill out a VISITOR COMMENT REQUEST CARD in advance and present it to the Board President. All speakers from the audience must wait until the Board President recognizes them before making any statements. In the interest of time and order, all speakers from the audience will be limited to three minutes and will have only one opportunity to speak on any item. The Board reserves the right to limit the time on any single item in consideration of conducting the business of the entire agenda. Speakers will follow procedures specified on the Visitor Comment Request Card.
8. **REPORT OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**
 - A. Executive Director's Comments Discussion
 - B. Director of Business Operations Comments Discussion
 - C. State SELPA - February 5-7, 2025 Exhibit 1
 - D. Federal/State Budget Update
 1. Federal Budget Update Discussion

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- E. Legislative/Legal Update
 - 1. Coalition for Adequate Funding for Special Education 2025 Priorities Exhibit 2
 - 2. School Services of California - Legislative Report dated January 29, 2025 Exhibit 3
- F. Community Advisory Committee (CAC)
 - 1. CAC Recognition Award Nomination Form Exhibit 4
 - 2. Parent Training Exhibit 5
 - A. Mindfulness: What is it and how/why to practice it!
Presenters: Tania Sotomayor
Katie Tigchelaar
(Both are ERMHS School Psychologists)
March 20, 2025 - 5:30pm - 6:30 pm - Virtual
 - B. What is Mental Health and Why does it matter in school?
Presenters: Janette Castillo, Program Administrator
Rosa Hernandez, Mental Health Therapist
April 2, 2025 - 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm - Virtual
- G. GASELPA Trainings/Staff Developments
 - A. GASELPA Conducted Trainings - January 2025 Exhibit 6
 - B. GASELPA Sponsored Training Exhibit 7
 - Free ASL Classes
 - Thursday Nights - 6-7:30PM
 - (no class March 13th and 27th)
 - Raymond Temple Elementary School

9. DISCUSSION INFORMATION

- A. GASELPA Pupil Count Comparison - 2018 - 2024 Exhibit 8
- B. OCDE - GASELPA 2024-25 First Interim Letter Exhibit 9
- C. OCDE - 2023-24 Annual Financial Report Findings and Recommendations Letter Exhibit 10
- D. Director of Business Operations Position Discussion
- E. Employment Contract - Executive Director Discussion
- F. ABA Department Discussion

10. CONSENT CALENDAR

Items listed under the consent calendar are considered to be routine and are acted upon by the Board in one motion. There is no discussion of these items unless a member of the Board or the public request specific items to be discussed and/or removed from the Consent Calendar.

It is recommended that the Board approve/ratify and authorize the following Consent Calendar items:

- A. Business Items
 - 1. Issue of Warrants 19980 through 20037 Exhibit 11

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- 2. Purchase Orders 24131 through 24156 Exhibit 12
- B. Personnel Items
 - 1. ABA Interventionist - Step 1, effective as noted:
 - A. Rangel, A 2/13/25
 - 2. ABA Interventionist - Step 2, effective as noted:
 - A. None
 - 3. ABA Interventionist - Step 3, effective as noted:
 - A. None
 - 4. ABA Interventionist - Rehire, Step and effective as noted:
 - A. None
 - 5. ABA Interventionist-Substitute - Step and effective as noted:
 - A. None
- C. Leave of Absence
 - 1. Colwell, T APE Specialist WC 2/5 - 2/28/25
 - 2. Diaz Deleon, B ABA Interventionist FMLA 1/29 - 2/17/25
 - 3. Peralta, A ABA Interventionist Medical 2/5 - 2/9/25
 - 4. Swamy, V ABA Interventionist FMLA 2/13 - 2/20/25
- D. Retirements
 - 1. None
- E. Resignations/Terminations
 - 1. Baustista-Moreno, D ABA Interventionist(position) Resignation 2/7/25
- F. It is recommended that the Board approve Amendment No. 1 to the Independent Contractor Agreement with GPT Staffing, to add the service of Occupational Therapy Individual Education Evaluation (OT IEE), at a rate of \$98.67 per hour with an individual OT IEE not to exceed \$5,000. Increasing total contract costs from \$70,000 to \$75,000. All other terms and conditions remain the same. Member district to reimburse for OT IEE.

11. ACTION DISCUSSION

- A. It is recommended that the Board approve the Second Interim JPA Certification of Interim Report for the Fiscal Year 2024-25 pursuant to Education Code (EC) sections 33129, 41023 and 42130. Exhibit 13

12. COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

Comments from the Board Members will be received and will be limited to five minutes per person.

13. ADJOURNMENT

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, should special assistance be required for you to participate in this meeting, please contact the Greater Anaheim SELPA office at (714) 220-6973 at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to this meeting. This will enable the GASELPA to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting.

NEXT BOARD MEETING

April 9, 2025 - 5:30 pm
Cypress School District Board Room