

California Association of Health and Education Linked Professions,  
Joint Powers Authority (CAHELP, JPA)  
**DESERT MOUNTAIN SELPA STEERING and FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING**  
Desert Mountain Educational Service Center, 17800 Highway 18, Apple Valley CA 92307

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## **AGENDA**

*January 17, 2025 – 9:00 a.m.*

### **TELECONFERENCE LOCATIONS:**

Health Sciences High and Middle Colleges – 3910 University Ave Ste 100, San Diego, CA 92105

Needles USD – 1600 Washington St., Needles, CA 92363

Trona JUSD – 83600 Trona Rd, Trona, CA 93562

### **1.0 CALL TO ORDER**

### **2.0 ROLL CALL**

### **3.0 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The public is encouraged to participate in the deliberation of the Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee. Several opportunities are available during the meeting for the Council to receive oral communication regarding the presentations of any items listed on the agenda. Please ask for recognition either before a presentation or after the presentation has been completed. Please complete and submit a “Registration Card to Address the Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee” to the Recording Secretary and adhere to the provisions described therein.

### **4.0 ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

4.1 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the January 17, 2025, Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee Meeting Agenda be approved as presented.

### **5.0 CONSENT ITEMS**

It is recommended that the Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee consider approving several Agenda items as a Consent list. Consent Items are routine in nature and can be enacted in one motion without further discussion. Consent items may be called up by any Committee Member at the meeting for clarification, discussion, or change.

5.1 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the following Consent Items be approved as presented:

5.1.1 December 13, 2024, Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee Meeting Minutes.

### **6.0 PRESENTATIONS**

6.1 Outreach Team

Jessica Soto will provide an update on the Outreach Team.

### **7.0 FINANCIAL COMMITTEE ITEMS**

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7.1 2025-26 Governor's Budget

Kayla Gewirtz will discuss the 2025-26 Governor's Budget.

7.2 AB602 Charter Payments

Kayla Gewirtz will discuss the AB602 Charter Payments.

7.3 Federal Grant Funding (3310-3312)

Kayla Gewirtz will discuss the Federal Grant Funding (3310-3312).

7.4 Accounting Codes

Thomas Flores will provide insight into accounting codes.

**8.0 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND STAFF REPORTS**

8.1 Charter School Supports

Pam Bender will discuss Charter School Supports

8.2 Legislative Update

8.2.1 Committee Members

- Senate Education Committee
- Senate Budget Sub-Committee No. 1 on Education
- Senate Appropriations Committee

8.2.2 Legislative Calendar

Pam Bender will provide Legislative Updates.

8.3 Credentials Bridge Authorization Update

Heidi Chavez will discuss the Credentials Bridge Authorization.

8.4 Desert Mountain Children's Center Client Services Reports and Updates

Linda Llamas will review Mountain Children's Center Client Services Reports and provide updates.

8.5 [Professional Learning Opportunities](#)

Heidi Chavez will review Professional Learning Opportunities.

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8.6 Resolution Support Services Summary and Update

Sheila Parisian will review Resolution Supports Services Summary and Update.

8.7 Compliance Update

Dr. Peggy Dunn will provide a Compliance Update.

8.8 Non-Public Updates

Dr. Peggy Dunn will provide a Compliance Updates.

8.9 Special Education Information System (SEIS) Update

Colette Garland will provide a SEIS Update.

8.10 Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP) Update

Colette Garland will provide a DRDP Update.

8.11 California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) Update

Colette Garland will provide a CALPADS Update.

8.12 Career Technical Education (CTE) Updates

Deborah Sarkesian will provide Career Technical Education (CTE) Updates.

8.13 Prevention and Intervention (P&I) Updates

Deborah Sarkesian will provide Prevention and Intervention Updates.

8.14 Occupational and Physical Therapy Services Reports and Updates

Codi Andersen will provide an Occupational and Physical Therapy Services Report and Updates.

8.15 SB 114 – Dyslexia Screening Mandate

Dr. Karina Quezada will discuss Senate Bill 114 – Dyslexia Screening Mandate.

## **9.0 INFORMATION / ACTION ITEMS**

9.1 Upcoming Trainings

Pam Bender will review the Upcoming Trainings.

## **10.0 STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBERS COMMENTS / REPORTS**

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**11.0 CEO COMMENTS**

**12.0 MATTERS BROUGHT BY THE PUBLIC**

This is the time during the agenda when the Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee is again prepared to receive the comments of the public regarding items on this agenda or any school related special education issue. Speakers are requested to give their name and limit their remarks to five minutes.

Persons wishing to make complaints against Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee personnel must have filed an appropriate complaint form prior to the meeting.

When the Desert Mountain SELPA Steering and Finance Committee goes into Closed Session, there will be no further opportunity for the general public to address the Council on items under consideration.

**13.0 ADJOURNMENT**

The next regular meeting of the Desert Mountain SELPA Steering Committee will be held on Friday, February 20, 2025, at 9:00 a.m., at the Desert Mountain Educational Service Center, 17800 Highway 18, Apple Valley, CA 92307.

*Individuals requiring special accommodation(s) for disabilities are requested to contact Cindy Quan at (760) 955-3555, at least seven days prior to the date of this meeting.*