SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY SELPA GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING
GAYLORD A. NELSON ADMINISTRATION CENTER | BOARD ROOM
2922 TRANSWORLD DRIVE, STOCKTON, CA 95206
March 2, 2026 | 9:45 A.M.

Minutes

PRESENT: Fallon Adolph (note taker), Marty Remmers; Rechelle Pearlman, Banta Elementary School District; Kelly Dextraze, Lincoln Unified School District; Roger Goatcher, Manteca Unified School District; Scott McGregor, Linden Unified School District; Jim Bridges, Jefferson Elementary School District; Troy Brown County Superintendent of Schools; Kirk Nicholas, Lammersville Unified School District; Robert Pecot, Tracy Unified School District; Rusty Clark, Ripon Unified School District; Ricardo Chavez, Escalon Unified School District

OTHERS PRESENT: Terrel Martinez, Austin Nogueira, Peter Foggiato, Janine Kaeslin

ABSENT: Clark Burke Manteca Unified School District; Kellyann Reis, New Jerusalem Elementary School District

1. CALLED TO ORDER:

1.1. Troy Brown called the meeting to order at 10:33 a.m.

2. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR INFORMATION:

2.1. Council of Directors Update: The SJC SELPA Governing Council will receive an update from the Council of Directors meeting held on February 18, 2026 from the Director of The San Joaquin County SELPA, Marty Remmers.

Marty reviewed the Annual Determination Letter process for Compliance Indicators Monitoring (CIM). Individual Local Education Agency (LEA) data and information was provided in each LEAs folder.

Marty provided a recap of the data trends highlighting both positive and negative trends for the SELPA.

Marty shared that Deanie Coleman will be meeting with each LEA to discuss current Students with Disabilities (SWD) data and how SWD will be represented in the Local Control and Accountability (LCAP).

Marty shared the SELPA is working with several LEAs to align Differentiated Assistance (DA) work and CIM work.

Marty provided a recap of the most recent professional development sessions that were hosted by the SELPA and a list of upcoming professional development opportunities was shared.

Additionally, Marty provided information about the iTAAP program that the directors have been discussing, MOU sessions, Local Plan planning committee, directors checklist, and county programs.

Updated enrollment numbers for Non Public School Students (NPS) and Residential Treatment Center (RTC) students were shared. For NPS students residing in Licensed Care Institutions (LCI), Manteca Unified has six students enrolled and Linden Unified School District has two students enrolled. For RTC students Tracy Unified has two enrolled students and one in process of being enrolled, Lammersville Joint Unified School District has one student enrolled, and Venture Academy Family of Schools has one student in process of being enrolled.

Marty provided updates on the Workability I program including the current Student of the month from Ripon High School and the SIP Coffee cafe.

2.2. Special Education Programs 2026-27 Growth Proposal Summary: The SJC Governance Council will receive information on the 2026-2027 growth proposal from Austin Nogueira.

Austin provided an updated Preliminary Budget after adjustments were made from the last Governing Council meeting due to LEAs updating their projected enrollment numbers.

Based on this information the Council of Directors has approved to move forward to the Governing Council a proposal for one growth class and three conversions of classes.

2.3. SELPA Administrators of California: The San Joaquin County SELPA Governing Council will receive an update from the SELPA Administrators of California meeting held February 5-6, 2026 from the Director of The San Joaquin County SELPA, Marty Remmers.

Council members were provided handouts from the SELPA Administrators of California meeting that covered their news roundup, finance report and legislative updates as well as their position paper on the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC).

3. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION:

3.1. Minutes: The Board is requested to approve the minutes from the February 2,2026, regular meeting as presented.

Motion made by: Jim Bridges
Seconded by: Kirk Nicholas

Yes: 8
No: 1
Abstain: 1

3.2. At the recommendation of the Council of Directors, the San Joaquin County SELPA Governance Council is requested to take action on the Special Education Programs 2026-2027 Growth Proposal as presented.

Motion made by: Roger Goatcher
Seconded by: Kirk Nicholas

Yes: 8
No: 2
Abstain: 0

4. CLOSING COMMENTS FOR GOVERNANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS:

There were no comments to be noted.

5. ADJOURNMENT:

5.1. Troy Brown adjourned the meeting at: 11:20 a.m.

*The SELPA Governing Council is committed to ensuring that all meetings are accessible regardless of an individual's ability or access method. If you need reasonable accommodation, please contact the SELPA Director's office at **(209) 468-4925**, at least one day prior to the scheduled meeting.*

*For translation and interpretation services, please contact the SELPA Director's office at **(209) 468-4925**, at least one day prior to the scheduled meeting.*

*Any writings or documents that are public records and are provided to a majority of the SELPA Governing Council regarding an open session item on this agenda will be made available for public inspection upon request by sending an email to **sjcselpa@sjcoe.net**.*