



## Community Advisory Committee

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Date: October 4, 2022  
Time: 4:00 PM to 4:30 PM  
Location: Please click the link to register for this meeting

### Registration

URL: <https://edcoe.zoom.us/j/87030690384?pwd=N3k0Zit2eHVZS0N0ZDYydTlXekFRZz09>

### Agenda:

I. Introductions/ Welcome

Participants: Sarah Phillips (SELPA PS), Erin Zimmerman (SELPA PS), Angie Groves (SELPA PS), Dawnlinn Thomas (SELPA PA), Amy Ferguson (SELPA PA), Christina French (SELPA PS), Matt Wintheiser (SELPA PS), Sara Watson (SELPA PS), Moises Buhain (SELPA PC), Mellisa Smith, Pam Towobowla (Opa T), Jennifer Noah, Carola King, Natasha Worthington.

II. Call to order

*Notice of meeting being recorded (Sarah Phillips)*

III. Approval of agenda\*

1. *Carola King First Approval – Parent from Rocklin Academy Gateway*
2. *Natasha Worthington Second Approval – Parent from Tracy Learning Center*

IV. Public Comment (for items not on the Agenda - comments are limited to two minutes)

1. *None*

**Consent Items:**

V. Approval of prior meeting minutes (April 12, 2022)

1. *Jennifer Noah First Approval*
2. *Natasha Worthington Second Approval*

**End of Consent Items**

VI. SELPA updates

- New Diploma Pathway slide shared with the rules to qualify. If interested in more information parents were advised to contact their school.
- AB 181 revised education code surrounding independent study slide shared.
- Professional Learning and Areas of Focus slide shared.
- 1868 Educators trained statewide since July 1, 2022 (Virtually and In-Person).
- EDCOE Events & Trainings page and QR code shared.

VII. Updates from LEAs

- Student Success Stories
  - *Jennifer Noah - At the beginning of this year we finally got a school counselor. Coming back from covid kids have a hard time with social skills and experience anxiety. It's good for them to have someone to talk to. He offers social skills classes and anxiety groups for kids (TK-8). Also, he is always available for parents when they need to talk. Sarah Phillips responds – "Thank you so much for sharing, Jennifer. That is amazing news, I love to hear that!"*

VIII. Parent Resources

- Shared slide Program Specialists and their roles.
  - Centered around positive student outcomes
  - Partner with families
  - Support with IEP Process
  - Strive for high quality education experience
- The IEP Process for Parents video link shared.
- Parent Strategies for dealing with conflict training by Dr. Paul Porter, school psychologist slide shared.
- Legislative Day (Spring 2023)
  - Collaborate with other families, the SELPA and legislators.

IX. Future meeting dates: *January 24, 2023, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm. March 28, 2023, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm.*

*Meeting details and dates are always posted on the parent resource section of our website. <http://charterselpa.org/parent-resources/>*



- X. Call for Future Agenda Items
  - 1. *Jennifer Noah – Possibly offer ESY, camps, or summer programs for Special Education Charter Students.*
  - 2. *Jennifer Noah - Special Ed/charter students more involved in school programs.*
  - 3. *Carola King - Resources or trainings on understanding the evaluation process and the transition from one IEP to another.*
  
- XI. Questions
  - 1. *Carola King - “What is ESY?” Erin responded – “Extended School Year.”*
  - 2. *Carola King - How do you distribute all the information and resources, the website and training opportunities to parents? Erin responded – We contact our school partners, and they send out the information to parents. They are always available on our website Charterselpa.org.*
  - 3. *Carola King - Is the website and resources restricted or are they open to the public? Erin responded - Our website is open to the public. Anybody can utilize our resources. Sarah Phillips added - We are always welcoming new parents to the CAC so if you know of any parents that would like to attend our meetings please bring them. We would welcome more participation!*
  
- XII. SELPA Contacts
- XIII. Adjournment\*

\* Requires Motion