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Memo

To Board of Education

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Board Meeting Date October 10, 2018

Subject Special Education Road Map and CAC Presentation

Action To provide an update to the Board on our Roadmap priority areas and update on CAC goals and action plan for the year.

Background The Special Education Leaders will provide an update on the 6 Priority areas from the Roap map:

- Goal One: Improved Student Performance
- Goal Two: General Education SEL Collaboration
- Goal Three: Optimal, Safe Learning Environments
- Goal Four: Data-Driven Community Engagement
- Goal Five: Hiring and Retaining Staff
- Goal Six: Improvement in District Compliance

The presentation will focus on progress on these 6 areas and how it relates to outcomes for students with special needs. Student data will be shared and discussed by providing context on the students we serve by disability.

Per the California Education Code, every Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) is required to establish a Community Advisory Committee. IDEA articulates the legislative intent to involve parents of students with disabilities in the planning, development, and implementation of their students’ special education programs. The CAC assists in advising the SELPA and the Governing Board about the SELPA Local Plan, annual priorities, parent education and other specified special education-related activities. The CAC will provide the board with updates on their goals and

focus areas for the year.

Discussion

The SpEd directors and CAC members will provide updates on the 6 priority areas from the Special Education Roadmap and discuss how our students with disabilities are doing in the area of academics and suspension rates. We will also present on areas of compliance, teacher retention, professional learning, and our goal to increase in inclusive practices. This is a presentation and we welcome any questions from the board on any topics related to CAC or Special Education.

Fiscal Impact

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Attachment

[SpEd Roadmap & CAC Presentation](#)