WHITTIER AREA COOPERATIVE SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

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Joint Powers Board Regular Meeting April 12, 2023 9:00 AM 9401 S. Painter Ave., Board Room Whittier, CA 90605

AGENDA

A. Opening of Meeting by Chairperson

1. Roll Call

EW, Marc Patterson
ER, Marco Villegas
LL, William Crean, Vice Chair
LN, Ramiro Rubalcaba
SW, Gary Gonzales
WC, Brad Mason, Chair
WU, Monica Oviedo

B. Community Comments on Closed Session Items

Members of the public may address the Joint Powers Board on any Closed Session agenda item. Anyone who would like to address the Board during the opportunity for community comments should complete the comment card. Presentations will be limited to three (3) minutes per speaker; fifteen (15) minutes per subject. Following any public comment on the Board's Closed Session agenda items, the Board will convene in Closed Session.

C. Closed Session

- 1. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Reassignment/Employment
- Evaluation of Executive Director of the Whittier Area Cooperative Special Education Program (WACSEP) (Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957)

D. Reconvene Meeting

- Report of Actions Taken in Closed Session
- 2. Approval of Agenda for April 12, 2023 meeting

Moved	
Seconded	
Vote	

3.	Approval	of Minute	s for March	9, 2023	meeting

Moved	 	
Seconded		
Vote		

E. Community Comments

Members of the public may address the Joint Powers Board directly concerning items within its jurisdiction on any topic of district or SELPA concern that may or may not be on the agenda for that meeting. Anyone who would like to address the Board during the opportunity for community comments should complete the comment card. Presentations will be limited to three (3) minutes per speaker; fifteen (15) minutes per subject.

F. Consent Calendar

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Seconded	
Vote	

1. It is the recommendation of the SELPA Director that the following contracts and expenditures be approved:

Provider	Description	Dates	Cost
Yarijanian & Associates, PC	Settlement Costs	04/13/2023 to 06/30/2023	Not to Exceed \$75,0000 (Additional \$25,000)

2. It is the recommendation of the SELPA Director that the following travel requests be approved:

Conference/Workshop	Person(s) Authorized	Expense (Per Person)
Special Education Local Plan (SELPA) Administrators of California Meetings	Executive Director	Registration: \$ 0.00 Related \$ 1,950.00 Expenses:
Sacramento, CA July 5 - 7, 2023 October 3 - 6, 2023 November 28 - December 1, 2023 February 27 - March 1, 2024		Total: \$ 1,950.00

April 30 - May 3, 2024 <u>San Diego, CA</u> September 5 - 8, 2023 October 31 - November 3, 2023 January 30 - February 2, 2024 April 2 - 5, 2024 June 4 - 7, 2024			
Strategic Planning Meeting	Janet Queneau, Executive Director	Registration:	\$ 0.00
Sacramento, CA October 2 - 3, 2023	Executive Director	Related Expenses:	\$ 715.00
		Total:	\$ 715.00
Nonviolent Crisis Intervention	Kristine Ramos,	Registration:	\$ 4,2490.00
Orange, CA	Program Manager (replacing Laura Peguero-Cruz)	Related Expenses:	\$ 225.00
May 16-18 , 2023		Total:	\$ 4,474.00

G. Personnel Report

H. New Business

1. It is the recommendation of the SELPA Director that the following contracts be approved for the 2023-2024 school year:

Provider	Description	Dates	Cost
Tania Rodriguez	Mental Health School Psychologist Intern	7/01/2023 to 6/30/2024	\$25/hr. Not to Exceed \$18,000
Reyna Guzman Martinez	Mental Health School Psychologist Intern	7/01/2023 to 6/30/2024	\$25/hr. Not to Exceed \$18,000
Ashley Cazares	Mental Health School Psychologist Intern	7/01/2023 to 6/30/2024	\$25/hr. Not to Exceed \$18,000
Jahnvi Pancholi	Mental Health School Psychologist Intern	7/01/2023 to 6/30/2024	\$25/hr. Not to Exceed \$18,000

Ashlyn Montoya	Mental Health School Psychologist Intern	7/01/2023 to 6/30/2024	\$25/hr. Not to Exceed \$18,000
Jennifer Kim	Mental Health School Psychologist Intern	7/01/2023 to 6/30/2024	\$25/hr. Not to Exceed \$18,000

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Seconded _	
Vote	

- I. SELPA Director Report
- J. Board Member Reports
- K. Adjournment

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Seconded	
Vote	

NEXT JOINT POWERS BOARD MEETING May 10, 2023

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