



PAC
Subcommittee Report

LEGISLATION SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Thursday, March. 11, 2021 11:00 am-12:00pm

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Chairperson: Geraldine Hernandez-Abisror

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS: 17		PCS STAFF / LAUSD STAFF: 11
1.Yulissa Carias	10. Maria Daisy Ortiz	<u>Parent Community Services (PCS)Staff:</u> Leah Brackins, <i>Senior Parent Facilitator</i> Diane Panossian, <i>Director</i> Antonio Plascencia Jr., <i>Director</i> Andrea Canty, <i>Program & Policy Develop Specialist</i> Robert Gutierrez, <i>Office Technician, Claire Lubrin, IT</i> <u>Spanish Interpreters: Luz Roldan & Glenda Castro</u> <u>Office of Government Relations (OGR):</u> Martha Alvarez, <i>Director OGR</i> Colleen Pagter, <i>Legislative Liaison</i> <u>Multilingual & Multicultural Education Dept. (MMED):</u> Lydia Acosta Stephens, <i>Executive Director</i>
2.Norma E. Gonzales	11. Gabriella Rangel	
3.Ms. Hermilinda	12. Paul Robak	
4. Ms. Dora		
5. Geraldine Hernandez-Abisror	13. Elizabeth Santiago	
6.Kelly Hurst	14. Corie Schiffman	
7. Marta Lopez	15. Yolanda Ford Swinton	
8. Vicky Martinez	16. Irma Villalpando	
9.Maria Munar	17. Mayra Zamora	
Total in Attendance:28		
Meeting: 3 of 5		

SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS/TRAININGS, MEETINGS ATTENDED or UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:

<p><u>LEGISLATION SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS:</u> (5) VIA ZOOM *Meeting Info will be emailed by PCS</p> <p>Thursday, January 14, 2021 11:30am-1:00pm (1st official mtg)</p> <p>Thursday, February 11, 2021 11:30am-1:00pm</p> <p>Thursday, March 11, 2021 – 11:00am -12:00pm</p> <p>Thursday, April 15, 2021 -11:00am-12:00pm</p> <p>Thursday, May 13, 2021 – 11:00am-12:00pm (*Last meeting prior to the last PAC meeting on 5/20)</p> <p><u>UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:</u></p> <p><u>LAUSD PAC:</u></p> <p>Thursday, 3/18/23 2:00pm-5:00pm</p> <p>Thursday, 4/8/21 2:00pm-5:00pm</p> <p>Thursday, 4/22/21 2:00pm-5:00pm</p> <p>Thursday, 5/20/21 2:00pm-5:00pm – LAST</p> <p><u>LAUSD Committee of the Whole (COW)-</u> Special meeting PAC Presents reopening comments</p> <p>Tuesday, 3/23/21 1:00pm</p> <p><u>LEGISLATIVE LEARNING GROUP</u> – (Virtual Sessions)</p> <p>Session 5: Experience May be the Best Teacher: Legislation, Learning & Advocacy – Friday, April 30, 2021 10:00am-12:00pm</p> <p>More Info or RSVP at families@lausd.net</p>
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SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATES:

Subcommittee Members in attendance: (17) LAUSD Staff: (11) See detail attendance list above Total: 28

Learning Objectives: Get additional learning and information to assist with comment development

-Ref to (2) Handouts: **Office of Government Relation (OGR) Role & Function & LAUSD 2021 Advocacy Priorities**

-See recommended info sites under Other Items/Resources section

Group Discussion & Recommendations:

-Track new bill SB-692, introduced by Cortese -LCAP; state priorities: least restrictive environment - Act to amend section 47607.3, 52060, 52064.5, 52066, 52071, 52701.5 & add & repeal section 56139 of the Education Code relating to Special education- (include the percentage of students w/disabilities being in a general education class 80% of the school day as a state LCAP goal. *Set for Senate hearing 3/17. (Mayra Zamora will track & update committee)

-Legislative updates, advocacy & intervention before law is made & invite Legislators

-Invite Legislators to be guest speakers to subcommittee/ PAC -* Invite Assembly member (D-Long Beach) Patrick O'Donnell, Chair of Assembly Education Committee

-Focus on connecting African American students to additional resources and funding to meet student achievement needs & narrow the gaps. How can we make change to include African American students to the student population groups under LCAP.

-What can we say as a PAC group to legislative groups that relates to the LCAP

Office of Government Relations (OGR): from Martha Alvarez, Director of OGR & Colleen Pagter, Legislative Liaison

Ms. Martha Alvarez spoke the last ten minutes to the committee regarding Sacramento legislation budget conversations on bills related to LCFF and had Q&A.

- AB-531, Introduced, Quirk-Silva = Education finance: local control funding formula: supplemental & concentration grants-bill requires each school district, county office, of education & charter school to identify unspent supplemental & concentration grant funds by annually reconciling and reporting the State Dept of Ed

-AB-533 – An act to add Section 42238.08 to the Education Code relating to education finance

-Board still evaluating AB-692, Cortese.. have not taken position yet

-Feb 19.2021- deadline for submitting new bills

-Request for OGR to share with PAC Legislation Subcommittee any new state legislation for African American students

-Current legislative and funding priorities at this moment is focus on safe re-opening efforts for school; meeting needs of community during COVID-19 & Access and Support for ALL Students



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STATUS OF SUBCOMMITTEE:

Next Steps:

- Review OGR Handouts & recommended sites
- Continue to review & analyze LCAP Presentation / Goals, & review SMART comments handout from previous meetings to assist in making recommendations & comments for LCAP
- Continue to study & understand legislation as it relates to LCAP... see resources
- Continue to think about how subcommittee can help PAC membership further knowledge, give comments on LCAP and advocacy work towards student achievement goals.

OTHER ITEMS/ RESOURCES:

Info & track CA & Nation's Legislation:

California Legislative Information:

www.leginfo.legislature.ca.gov

www.legiscan.com

FIND YOUR ELECTED OFFICIAL:

If you live in the City of Los Angeles use: <http://neighborhoodinfo.lacity.org>

If you live in the County of Los Angeles use: <http://rrcc.lacounty.gov/OnlineDistrictmapAPP>

To find your state representatives in the Assembly or Senate: <http://findyourrep.legislature.ca.gov>

To find your federal representatives: <http://www.house.gov/representatives/find-your-representative>

<http://www.senate.gov/senators/states.htm>

LOCAL RESOURCES:

LAUSD Board of Education: <http://boe.lausd.net>

City of Los Angeles: <http://www.lacity.org>

LA County Registrar Voter Information: <http://www.lavote.net>

STATE RESOURCES:

California Department of Education: www.cde.ca.gov

California State Senate: www.senate.ca.gov

California State Senate Standing Committee on Education: <http://sedn.senate.ca.gov>

California State Assembly: <http://www.assembly.ca.gov>

California State Assembly Committee on Education: <http://aedn.assembly.ca.gov>

For full resource list visit LAUSD Office of Government Relations at <http://achieve.lausd.net>