



District Education Improvement Committee 2013-14

MINUTES

January 9, 2014

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Leslie Ballew, Dr. Don Beck, Kelly Coats, Patricia Glaeser, Audry Lane, Cedric LePeuch, Amber Logan, Alicia Martin, Lupita Miles, Ana Moody, Mike Niemeyer, Veronica Pasternack, Rhonda Perez, Gloria Roach, Soviet Threatt, Kent Wilson,

AGENDA ITEMS

I: Welcome

Mr. Soviet Threatt, DEIC Chairperson, welcomed everyone and reviewed the meeting agenda. Mr. Threatt also indicated that one of the DEIC Community members was present, Pastor Ken Wilson and gave him a warm welcome.

II: Targeted Intervention Plan Review

Dr. Beck, Assistant Superintendent of C & I, and Patricia Glaeser (SI Coordinator) reviewed the Targeted Intervention Plan (TIP) from TEA's House Bill 5 which began with the 2013-14 school year. Dr. Beck explained why the districts Bilingual and Special Education groups were staged to make improvements by the state because they did not meet state accountability standards.

There will be monthly meetings with TEA by conference call and the first will be on January 10, 2014. Dr. Beck said that in the future Channelview ISD could be audited by TEA on its testing systems and encouraged the committee to please ask questions because now was the time to do so.

III: Evaluation of Performance in Community and Student Engagement

Mr. Mike Niemeyer, Assistant Superintendent of Administration, introduced the tool the state is requiring districts to use with the new requirements from House Bill 5 accountability improvements. Each school district has to evaluate their performance and the performance of each campus in the district in Community and Student Engagement with a rating of Exemplary, Recognized, Acceptable or Unacceptable. Districts will report each performance rating to TEA no later than August 8th of each school year. For purposes of assigning the performance ratings, a school district must evaluate the following programs or specific categories of performance at each campus:

- Fine Arts
- Wellness and Physical Education
- Community and Parental Involvement
- 21st Century Workforce Development Program
- Second Language Acquisition Program
- Digital Learning Environment
- Dropout Prevention Strategies
- Educational Programs for Gifted and Talented Students

The committee broke into groups with specified program administrators leading each group to work on plans to be presented to the DEIC for discussion and updates.

V: Future Agenda Items

Further follow-up on Evaluation of Performance in Community/Student Engagement

NEXT MEETING DATE

February 6, 2014

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.