

SCUSD Community Advisory Committee

November 16, 2021 General Meeting

Meeting Notes

5.1 SCTA Report

Nikki Milevsky: Great presentation. We've been advocating for MTSS. We have been pushing for training for our members, and for meaningful assessments for students. Agree with analogy in presentation of alarm bells going off; our teachers are using fire extinguishers but there is no other intervention that our kids need to disrupt the path of a bad school experience. Disappointed that the District is no longer even trying to get intervention teachers with the COVID money. We need that intervention and progress monitoring. Also wanted to share about virtual academies. Still hoping the District will seek a waiver if possible and provide a better learning environment for students who cannot learn in person at the moment. Frustrated with District's lack of education for SWD in the remote environment. You may be aware of legal finding recently that AB 130 needs to apply equally to SpEd as for regular students; we hope this will spur a talk with the District. Disappointed that (in bargaining last week, after that ruling), District was not interested in discussing that. SpEd students not getting equal opportunity now.

John: (responding to question from Kenya) If the District invites us to the visit to another school mentioned in Item 3, we will look into this. Unfortunate that we are just hearing about this initiative here rather than being proactively contacted by the District.

Kenya: It would be great if the District and SCTA could come together and collaborate for our students. That they might both attend this other school (with CAC representation as well) would be amazing.

5.2 SEIU Report

No report tonight.

6.1 CAC Budget

Rose: CAC allocated budget of \$7,000 for the year. Usually use this for food and drinks for in-person meetings. Can also be used for guest speakers (nominal fees) and to send

