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Thought for the Day: Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars.

~ Les Brown

HEAD START/EARLY HEAD START

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Date: Tuesday, May 17, 2011

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: SETA Boardroom

925 Del Paso Blvd.

Sacramento, CA 95815

While the Head Start Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) welcomes and encourages participation in the Committee meetings, it would be appreciated if you would limit your comments to five minutes so that everyone may be heard. Matters under the jurisdiction of the Head Start Parent Advisory Committee and not on the posted agenda may be addressed by the general public under the Public Participation item of this agenda. The Head Start Parent Advisory Committee limits testimony on matters not on the agenda to five minutes per person and not more than fifteen minutes for a particular subject.

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Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) meeting hosted by PAC Chair:
Chair, Mary Brown
Vice Chair, Tamara Knox
Secretary, Vacant
Treasurer, Vacant
Parliamentarian, Rebecca Lewis

ITEM I-A - ROLL CALL

The Parent Advisory Committee Secretary will call the roll for the following members:

	Donyea Elmore, Auberry Park Head Start
	Monica Jones, Bannon Creek Head Start
	Vacant, Broadway Early Learning Center
	Vacant, Countrywood Head Start
	Vacant, Crossroads Garden Head Start
	Haley Joslin, Early Head Start/ Home Base
	Eloy Anzaldua, Freedom Park Head Start
	Zoila Lucero, Fruitridge Head Start
	Vacant, Galt Head Start
	Teresa Toscano, Grant Skills Center
	Vacant, Grizzly Hollows
	Vacant, Hillsdale Head Start
	Donna Dobbins, Home Base
	Vacant, Home Base
	Kelly Martin, Hopkins Park Head Start
	Vacant, Illa Collin Head Start
	Vacant, Job Corps Head Start
	Vacant, Kennedy Estates Head Start
	Mary Brown, La Riviera Head Start
	Vacant, LaVerne Stewart Head Start
	Vacant, Marie Cleveland's Bright Beginnings Head Start
	Vacant, Mather Head Start
	Praveena Chaudhary, Nedra Court Head Start
	Vacant, New Helvetia 2 Head Start
	Connie Wallace, Norma Johnson Head Start
	Erika Contreras, Northview Head Start
	Vacant, Parker Avenue Head Start
	Vacant, Phoenix Park Head Start
	Vacant, Sharon Neese Early Learning Center
	Vacant, Solid Foundation Head Start Vacant, Strizek Park Head Start
	Socorro Gutierrez, Vineland Head Start
	Laura Meza, Walnut Grove Head Start
	Vacant, Whispering Pines Head Start
	LaShonda Tablit, Foster Parent Representative
	Rebecca Lewis, Grandparent Representative
	Vacant, Male Involvement Representative
	Tamara Knox, Past Parent/Community Representative
	Yvette Hernandez, Past Parent/Community Representative
New Repre	esentatives to be seated:
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	Goodwin, Male Involvement Representative
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ITEM I- B PAC MEETING ATTENDANCE UPDATE

The PAC was seated on November 23, 2010 PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING ATTENDANCE PROGRAM YEAR 2010-2011

COMMITTEE MEMBER	CENTER	11/23	12/14	01/25	02/22	03/22	04/26	05/24	06/28	07/26	08/23	09/27	10/25	11/22
Donyea Elmore S/B Seated 02/11	AP				E	E	Х							
Monica Jones Seated 04/11	ВС						X							
Vacant	BLC													
Vacant	COP													
Vacant	CW													
Vacant	CR													
Haley Joslin Seated 11/10	EHS/HB	Х	Е	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Vacant	EL													
Eloy Anzaldua Seated 04/11	FP						Х							
Zoila Lucero Seated 4/11	FT						Х							
Vacant	G													
Vacant	GH							1						
Teresa Toscano Seated 4/11	GSC						Х							
Vacant	Н													
Donna Dobbins S/B Seated 12/10	НВ		Х	Х	Е	Х	U							
Vacant	HB													
Vacant	IC													
Kelly Martin S/B Seated 11/10	HP	U	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Vacant	JC													
Vacant	K													
Mary Brown Seated 11/10	LAR	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Vacant	LVS													
Vacant	MCBB													
Vacant	M													
Praveena Chaudhary Seated 11/10	NC	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Е							
Connie Wallace Seated 11/10	NJ	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Vacant	NH2													
Erika Contreras Seated 06/10	NV	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	U							
Vacant	PA													
Vacant	PP													
Vacant	SF													
Vacant	SN							ļ						
Vacant	SP													
Socorro Gutierrez Seated 02/11	V				Х	Х	U							
Laura Meza Seated 11/10	WG	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Vacant Lashonda Tablit	WP							-						
Seated 11/10 Rebecca Lewis	FPR	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х							
Seated 11/10 Victor Goodwin	GPR	Х	Х	Х	Е	Х	Х							
S/B Seated 04/10	MIR						AP							
Tamara Knox Seated 11/10	PPR	Х	PAC	Х	Х	Е	Х							
Yvette Hernandez Seated 11/10	PPR	Х	Х	Х	Х	X	Х							

Members: If you cannot attend a meeting and are going to be absent, you must:

- First, call your Alternate(s) to see if they can attend in your place;
 Second, call Head Start Social Services/Parent Involvement Coordinator, Ms. Marie Desha, at 263-4082; and
 Third, please call the PAC Chair, Ms. Mary Brown, at 203-3829, or the PAC Clerk, Ms. Lori Black, at 263-4068

PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE - MEETING ATTENDANCE UPDATE PROGRAM YEAR 2010-2011

(Continued)

Head Start Center Abbreviations

AP: Auberry Park **K:** Kennedy Estates

BC: Bannon Creek LAR: La Riviera

BLC: Broadway Early Learning Center **LVS:** LaVerne Stewart

CR: Crossroads Garden M: Mather

CW: Countrywood MCBB: Marie Cleveland Bright Beginnings

EHS: Early Head Start
EL: Elkhorn
Freedom Park
NJ: Norma Johnson
NC: Nedra Court
NH2 New Helvetia 2

FT: Fruitridge NV: Northview

G: Galt PA: Parker Avenue GH: **Grizzly Hollow** PP: Phoenix Park GSC: Grant Skills Center SF: Solid Foundation H: Hillsdale SN: Sharon Neese

HB: SP: Strizek Park Home Based HP: **Hopkins Park** V: Vineland IC: Illa Collin WG: Walnut Grove JC: WP: Job Corps Whispering Pines

Representative Abbreviations

FPR: Foster Parent RepresentativeGPR: Grandparent RepresentativeMIR: Male Involvement Representative

OGC: Out Going Chair

PPR: Past Parent Representative

Attendance Record Abbreviations

X: Present Excused

AP: Alternate Present AE: Alternate Excused

U: Unexcused

PAC: Parent Advisory Committee

R: Resigned

ITEM II-A - CONSENT

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR SPECIAL MEETING OF THE PC AND REGULAR MEETING OF THE PAC, APRIL 26, 2011

BACKGROUND:

Nay	Abstain	
	Seconded	
or the Special Po	s and Regular PAC Meetir	ig of April 26, 2011.
		Seconded

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE HEAD START POLICY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes/Synopsis

(Minutes reflect the actual progress of the meeting.)

SETA Board Room 925 Del Paso Blvd., Suite 100 Sacramento, CA 95815 Tuesday, April 26, 2011 9:00 a.m.

I. <u>Call to Order/Roll Call/Review of Board Member Attendance</u>: Ms. Coventry St. Mary called the meeting to order at 9:15 a.m. and read the thought of the day for the Policy Council; Ms. Mary Brown read the thought of the day for the Parent Advisory Committee.

Ms. Lisa Daniels called the roll for the Policy Council.

Members Present:

Lisa Daniels, WCIC/Playmate Child Development Center
Delia Ramirez, WCIC/Playmate Child Development Center
Michela Barbosa, Twin Rivers Unified School District
Mary Brown, SETA-Operated Program
Kiersten Gonzales, SETA-Operated Program
Haley Joslin, SETA-Operated Program (arrived at 9: 25 a.m.)
Rebecca Lewis, Grandparent Representative
Dina Patterson, Foster Parent Representative
Tamara Knox, Past Parent
Coventry St. Mary, Early Head Start
David Quintero, Alternate, Community Advocating Male Participation

Members Absent:

Willie Jean Peck, Elk Grove Unified School District (excused) Socorro Gutierrez, SETA-Operated Program (unexcused) Troy Luna, CAMP (unexcused) Kristen Hendricks, Early Head Start (SOP) (unexcused)

The following new board members were seated:
Amarjit Gill, Elk Grove Unified School District (arrived at 9:20 a.m.)
Sandra Renteria, Sacramento City Unified School District
Darlene Low, San Juan Unified School District
Sarah Proteau, San Juan Unified School District
Kelly Martin, SETA-Operated Program
Connie Wallace, SETA-Operated Program

New Members to be seated but absent:

Lisa Sandoval, Sacramento City Unified School District (unexcused) Ekuah Ramsey-Gilbert, Twin Rivers Unified School District (unexcused) Victor Goodwin, Community Advocating Male Participation (Alternate Present)

It was announced that Ms. Connie Wallace would act as Secretary for the PAC.

Ms. Consuelo Lopez and Ms. Saundra Espinosa were introduced as the translator.

Ms. Connie Wallace called the roll for the PAC:

Members Present:

Haley Joslin, Early Head Start/Home Base
Kelly Martin, Hopkins Park Head Start
Mary Brown, La Riviera Head Start
Connie Wallace, Norma Johnson Head Start
Laura Meza, Walnut Grove Head Start
LaShonda Tablit, Foster Parent Representative
Rebecca Lewis, Grandparent Representative
Tamara Knox, Past Parent/Community Representative
Yvette Hernandez, Past Parent/Community Representative
David Quintero, Alternate, Male Involvement Representative

Members Absent:

Donna Dobbins, Home Base (unexcused)
Praveena Chaudhary, Nedra Court Head Start (excused)
Erika Contreras, Northview Head Start (unexcused)
Socorro Gutierrez, Vineland Head Start (unexcused)
Troy Luna, Male Involvement Representative (unexcused)

New Parent Advisory Committee representatives to be seated:

Donyea Elmore, Auberry Head Start Monica Jones, Bannon Creek Head Start Eloy Anzaldua, Freedom Park Head Start Zoila Lucero, Fruitridge Head Start Teresa Toscano, Grant Skills Center Head Start

New PAC representative to be seated but absent:

Victor Goodwin, Male Involvement Representative (Alternate Present)

Ms. Haley Joslin arrived at 9:25 a.m.

Ms. Brown stated that Policy Council board members and Parent Advisory Committee members will vote separately; Ms. Wallace will do the count for the PAC.

Mr. David Quintero was seated as the Male Involvement Alternate for Victor Goodwin.

II. Consent Item

A. Approval of the minutes of the March 22, 2011 regular PC meeting

Moved/Barbosa, second/Gill, to approve the March 22, 2011 minutes. Show of hands vote: Aye: 15, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

A. Approval of the minutes of the March 22, 2011 regular PAC meeting.

Moved/Knox, second/Jones, to approve the March 22, 2011 regular PAC meeting minutes.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (Brown)

III. Action Items

A. Approval of Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Budget

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the board item. Ms. Denise Lee reviewed the budget for the coming year. The Budget/Planning Committee met weekly to review the budget; when planning for the new budget, this committee meets weekly. Ms. Lee is not aware of any budget cuts; the Agency may be able to sustain some of the ARRA funds for the next six months.

Head Start Basic \$41,312,993
Head Start Training and Technical Assistance \$384,611

Early Head Start Basic \$4,957,637
Early Head Start Training and Technical Assistance \$123,941

The budget allows the Agency to serve just under 6,000 children and 450 Early Head Start children. The majority of the budget is personnel staffing costs including a 50.2% of fringe benefit package. There are two parts to the budget: Basic grant and Training/Technical Assistance. For every dollar receives, SETA must bring in 25% through in-kind, i.e., volunteer hours provided by parents. Other sources of in-kind include free rent, computers, supplies and/or materials donated to the agency. Ms. Lee reviewed the travel budget.

Ms. Lee stated that while there were no Head Start cuts, the California Department of Education did receive a 15% reduction in funding which translates to a \$600,000 reduction in funding for the Sacramento area. Changes being proposed includes reduced operational hours in the full-day program from 9-10 hours to 7-8 hours. This reduces the staffing hours so the net effect would be that some of the Associate Teachers would work either a six or seven hour day. The CDE dollars pay only for staffing and services provided at the centers. A significant amount of time and data was reviewed to come up with this decision. The needs of the parents were compared to the actual times when children were

in the classroom and a decision was made to cut the amount of hours the centers are open. The reductions will be done according to seniority and review by the Union

There is a pay differential for teaching staff with a Bachelor's degree. In order to say competitive, the Agency has offered a 2.5% increase for staff that have achieved their BA degree.

Ms. Lewis inquired whether there was any information/concern regarding the fact that Elk Grove does not have an EHS program. Ms. Lee stated that while Elk Grove does not have EHS, they have partnered with Sacramento City Unified School District to provide services to teen parents through independent study or a home base program. There are only 450 EHS slots county wide.

PC Vote:

Moved/Daniels, second/Barbosa, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Budget.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 16, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Lewis, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Budget.

Ms. Jones asked about the student/teacher ratio; Ms. Lee stated that in regular classrooms, the ratio is 10:1 and in Early Head Start, the ratio is 8:1.

Mr. Elmore had concerns regarding the \$1.5 million in leases. Ms. Lee stated that if there is an opportunity to negotiate lower rents, staff follows through. Seven of the centers are rent-free and the Agency owns one center. Many lease agreements include utilities and janitorial, but others do not. Staff recently negotiated a huge discount in the facilities lease. Staff continues to scout for lower lease costs.

Show of hands vote: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (Brown)

B. Approval of Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Grant Application/Narrative

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report. Ms. Lee reviewed the narrative portion of the application. The data provided in the grant application came from the community assessment. The Agency is currently serving 20% of the eligible population for Head Start services. This is a county-wide narrative. There is a center based program and a home based program. The Agency is serving 3,800 in a part-day program, which is a 10:1 staffing/student ratio. There is a collaboration model/braided program with CDE funds to offer a full day program.

This provides a teacher/child ratio 8:1. There are 230 children in the home-base program. The track system was reviewed.

Some of the program changes include the elimination of the therapeutic preschool. Due to budget cuts, River Oak was unable to sustain the partnership with SETA to offer the therapeutic preschool. There is a fully integrated model to do a hybrid therapeutic model at Crossroads. At the last meeting the board approved the Infant/Toddler Associate Teacher job classification which will allow the Agency to recruit for new staff with the appropriate background/education. River Oak will bring an additional staff member to deal with the children and assist the teacher in how to interact with the child.

Ms. Jones has a special needs child and asked if this was the same. Ms. Lee replied that therapeutic preschool was for children that socially or emotionally could not deal with the regular classroom experience.

Ms. Gill inquired about the teaching staff with AA or BA degrees and whether the agency is planning to hire teachers that have degrees. Ms. Lee replied that the Agency wants current staff to earn their degrees. If there are openings, the Agency will be recruiting for people that have at least an AA degree; if applicants have a BA degree, they will be paid a differential. The agency has provided classes on-site to assist staff to achieve their degrees.

Mr. Elmore asked if the service with River Oak was provided according to teacher or parent recommendation. Ms. Lee replied that it could be the parent, it could be the teaching staff, or it could be identified through the screening or observation with the child. River Oak staff work with the parent to identify the challenges and set up a way to access services.

Ms. Sandra Renteria asked why is the pay for staff so different? The food served at the classroom needs to be more healthy; there is a lot of waste. Ms. Lee replied that there is a salary survey each year and SETA/Head Start pays competitive salaries. Ms. Lee urged Ms. Renteria to participate in the Food Services Committee which deals with the menus. The changes reviewed by Ms. Lee are about the SETA operated program and Sacramento City USD may have other changes.

Ms. LaShonda Tablit stated that her daughter was eating better at Head Start than at home. She was very impressed with the menu and service provided. Ms. Lee stated that all of the Head Start meals have to meet the USDA guidelines and are approved by a registered dietitian.

Ms. Brown inquired about the Elkhorn teachers and whether there will be layoffs. Ms. Lee replied that she is not sure which teachers are going to that location because teachers can go to other locations. There will be no layoffs.

PC Vote:

Moved/Barbosa, second/Gill, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Grant Application/Narrative.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 16, Nay: 0, Abstention: 1 (St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Knox, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Grant Application/Narrative.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (Brown)

Off agenda:

IV. Information Items

- A. Standing Information Items
- Parent/Staff Recognitions: Mr. Victor Bonanno, Ethics Training: Ms. Mary Brown read the certificate of appreciation for Mr. Bonanno providing the Ethics training.

Ms. Gill left at 10:40 a.m.

III. <u>Action Items</u> (continued)

C. Approval of Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start 3-Year Goals/Objectives

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report. Ms. Lee reviewed the three year goals with the objectives. The goals are county-wide and the objectives are independent according to delegate.

Ms. Dina Patterson left at 10:46 a.m.

PC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Wallace, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start 3-Year Goals/Objectives.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Meza, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start 3-Year Goals/Objectives.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 13, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 2 (Jones and Brown)

D. Approval of Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Training/ Technical Assistance Grant Application to be in Alignment with Established Three-Year Goals

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report for this item. There are two different funding streams: basic grant and training and technical assistance (specifically

for training staff and/or parents). This is the one-year plan for how the funds will be spent. This provides for the majority of the extras such as parent conference and training. This grant is designed around the three-year goals and objectives and community assessment. Ms. Lee reviewed the plan. This includes monetary items and non-monetary items to provide support.

Ms. Jones requested additional information on the career incentive for parents and staffing at the centers. Ms. Lee stated that Family Service Workers have this information. In addition, Ms. Karen Gonzales and Ms. Lisa Carr can provide the information regarding the staffing at the centers.

Ms. Patterson returned at 10:56 a.m.

PC Vote:

Moved/Gonzales, second/Daniels, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Training/Technical Grant Application as Aligned with Established Three-Year Goals.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 15, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Jones, to approve the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start/Early Head Start Training/Technical Grant Application as Aligned with Established Three-Year Goals.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (Brown)

The Boards took a break at 11:10 a.m.

The meeting was called back to order at 11:16 a.m.

Ms. Barbosa left at 11:11 a.m.

E. Approval of County-wide Head Start/Early Head Start Center Locations

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report. Ms. Lee reported that what is different from last year is the addition of a center at Elkhorn and the elimination of Walnut Grove center. There was a great deal of thought going into the decision to close Walnut Grove. That center operates two morning classrooms and there are no afternoon classes. The Agency cannot maintain enrollment or attendance at this classroom. Staff considered keeping one classroom open but cannot renegotiate the lease which is \$3,872 per month. Take the dollar amount divided by the 20 children and this is an extremely expensive center to run. There is a chance of having a center if/when free rent is available. Staff is proposing a home base option which means services would go directly to the child at home. If the elementary campus opens a classroom to Head Start, a center based classroom will be offered.

A board member stated that she will talk to the principal to see if the Agency can use one classroom; she is sure that if the parents come together there will be a classroom open. Ms. Lee welcomes the parents' advocacy on this issue. Staff will continue to work on this issue and changes can come at any time.

Ms. Low asked if other centers are being opened and Ms. Lee replied that the delegates are opening more centers.

PC Vote:

Moved/Low, second/Martin, to approve Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start and Early Head Start Center Locations.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 11, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 3 (Brown, Daniels, St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Hernandez, to approve Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Head Start and Early Head Start Center Locations.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 12, Nay: 1 (Elmore), Abstentions: 2 (Meza and Brown)

F. Approval of Fiscal Year 2011-2012 SETA-Operated Program Tracks

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report. Ms. Lee stated that Sacramento Head Start is the only program that offers year-round school. Instead of closing in June, centers stay open all year and the children transition to kindergarten in the fall. This also allows staff to work all year without layoffs. Utilizing the tracks, the Agency can serve 1,000 more children each year since the services are available all year. The tracks system is for the SETA-Operated program only.

PC Vote:

Moved/Gonzales, second/Lewis, to approve Fiscal Year 2011-2012 SETA Operated Program Tracks.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Anzaldua, second/Tablit, to approve Fiscal Year 2011-2012 SETA Operated Program Tracks.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (Brown)

G. Approval of Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Sacramento County Program Options/ Grantee and Delegate Agencies

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report which provides an overview of services offered. The document breaks down what each center provides regarding services. Many centers have reduced hours. There are fewer children served in the full-day program and more served in the half-day program.

Ms. Lewis inquired what qualifies as full-day or part-day. Ms. Lee replied that anything under six hours is considered part-day.

PC Vote:

Moved/Martin, second/Proteau, to approve Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Sacramento County Program Options/Grantee and Delegate Agencies.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

PAC Vote:

Moved/Knox, second/Anzaldua, to approve Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Sacramento County Program Options/Grantee and Delegate Agencies.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 14, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 1 (Brown)

H. Discussion and Approval of the Policy Council (PC) Meeting Time Change

Ms. St. Mary reviewed the staff report. Ms. Lee stated that it has been very challenging for staff to be in the room for both meetings and board members that sit on both boards. This item recommends moving the PAC to the third Tuesday of the month at 9:00 a.m. The Policy Council would meet on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 9:00 a.m. This item requests board consideration to move the Policy Council meeting time to 9:00 a.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

- Q: Is this effective immediately?
- A: This will be effective next month.
- Q: Ms. Martin inquired whether there was a vote that this was in agreement for everyone?
- A: Ms. Lee stated that this is the first time asking for the Boards' approval.

Ms. Gonzales stated that Sacramento City's Policy Committee found it very difficult to find board members to sit on the Policy Council due to their children getting out at 2:00 p.m.

Ms. Brown expressed her appreciation to staff for wanting to move the meetings to separate days.

PC Vote:

Moved/Gonzales, second/Low, to move the Policy Council meeting time to 9:00 a.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

Show of hands vote: Aye: 13, Nay: 1 (Martin), Abstentions: 1 (St. Mary)

H. Discussion and Approval of the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting Date and Time Change

Ms. Mary Brown reviewed the background information for the PAC.

PAC Vote:

Moved/Jones, second/Hernandez, to move the Parent Advisory Committee meeting time to 9:00 a.m. on the third Tuesday of each month. Show of hands vote: Aye: 11, Nay: 2 (Martin and Hernandez); Absentions: 1 (Brown)

IV. <u>Information Items</u>

- A. Standing Information Items
 - Introduction of Newly Seated Representatives: No comments.
 - Fiscal Monthly Report/Corporate Card Monthly Statement of Account Mr. Roy Kim reviewed the report since Roger is on vacation. The county-wide program is a little underspent but it is not an issue right now. The budget is around 65% year-to-date expended.
 - Parent/Family Support Unit Events and Activities: No report.
 - ▶ PC/PAC Calendar of Events: Ms. Brown stated that a signup sheet was going around for the Parent Leadership Institute scheduled for May 25. Registration and a continental breakfast will be from 8:30 9 a.m. The theme of the Institute is "From Follower to Leader" and Dr. Tracy Tomasky from San Juan will be the trainer. Event location will be at the South Natomas Community Center, 2921 Truxel Road.

Ms. Sandra Renteria, Mr. Eloy Anzaldua and Ms. Laura Meza left at 12:09 p.m.

- Countywide Parent Conference Reports: Ms. St. Mary reported that the conference was a very successful event; a lot of parents and staff attended and there were a lot of different classes. Ms. Brown spoke of her experience at the conference. Ms. Knox was one of the speakers at the conference. The keynote speaker was Kevin Johnson. Ms. St. Mary thanked the committee for the hard work.
- Child Care/food center menu attached
- PC/PAC Parent Leadership Institute: No additional report.
- Community Resources-Parents/Staff: Ms. Brown reported that there will be a free play date for children on April 30 at Haggin Park.
 Ms. Daniels announced that Early Childhood Advocacy Day is May 24; the admission is \$45 but scholarships are offered.
- B. Governing Board Minutes for the March 3, 2011 Meeting: No questions or comments.

Ms. Lewis stated that redistricting is going on. A commission was formed and everyone is encouraged to get the word out that our opinion matters. Go on-line to the City of Sacramento's website and click on tools which will bring up the redistricting map. The City Council will take every modified map into consideration. It is expected that after the redistricting, each district will have

around 58,311 people. Currently, Natomas is District 1 and the largest district and is expected to be split up.

C. Fiscal Monitoring Reports: No questions or comments.

V. <u>Committee Reports</u>

- A. Executive Committee: Ms. Brown read the critique of the most recent meeting. The PAC conference attendance guidelines was modified; copies of the modified guidelines were distributed.
- B. PC/PAC Joint Executive Committee Report: No additional report.

VI. Other Reports Tabled.

- A. Executive Director's Report: Ms. Kathy Kossick thanked members of the Budget/Planning Committee for their hard work on the budget. In the spirit of cooperation, SETA recently applied for a \$100,000 grant with the Community Services Department. The funds would target Head Start families in the Galt area and foster youth families in the prevention of obesity. Staff will know on April 29 if SETA was awarded the funds. Cards for the jobs.sacramentoworks.org web site were distributed. This is an outstanding online site for job searches.
- B. Head Start Deputy Director's Report: No additional comments.
- C. Chair's Report: None.
- D. Head Start Managers' Reports: Ms. Lisa Carr reported that the Parent Conference was very successful; over 95 people signed in. Ms. Carr thanked everyone for attending. The planning for next year's conference will begin later this year. Ms. Carr thanked the parents for the success of the conference.
- E. Open Discussion and Comments: Flowers were given to Lori Black and Nancy Hogan in observation of Administrative Professional's Day.
- F. Public Participation: Ms. Brown reported that with the assistance of laptops, the PC and PAC and Ms. Desha are communicating during the meeting to ensure the meeting flows smoothly. Ms. Desha thanked Mr. Jaime Serrano for setting up the computers.
- VII. Adjournment: The PAC and PC meetings were adjourned at 12:40 a.m.

ITEM III-A - ACTION

ELECTION OF PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PAC) SECRETARY

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item provides an opportunity for the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) to elect a Secretary. The duties of a PAC Secretary are established in the PAC Bylaws, Article V – Officers, Section 3: Duties of Officers.

SECTION 3 Duties of Officers

The duties of PAC officers shall be as prescribed in these Bylaws and shall also include such other duties as may be established by the PAC that are not in conflict with these Bylaws.

C. The Secretary shall keep a record of current and preceding minutes at each meeting, record resolutions or motions adapted, as may be necessary to expedite the PAC's business. The Secretary shall oversee the Social/Hospitality committee.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Parent Advisory Committee approves the election of a PAC Secretary.

NOTES:			
ACTION: Moved		Seconded	
VOTE: Aye	Nay	Abstain	

ITEM III-B - ACTION

ELECTION OF PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PAC) TREASURER

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item provides an opportunity for the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) to elect a Treasurer. The duties of a Treasurer are established in the PAC Bylaws, Article V – Officers, Section 3: Duties of Officers.

SECTION 3: Duties of Officers

The duties of PAC officers shall be as prescribed in these Bylaws and shall also include such other duties as may be established by the PAC that are not in conflict with these Bylaws.

D. The Treasurer shall keep such records, files and accounts as may be necessary to expedite PAC's business, work with staff/PAC Secretary and will oversee the Budget/Planning Committee. The Treasurer shall be a member of the Social/Hospitality Committee.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Parent Advisory Committee approves the election of a PAC Treasurer.

NOTES:			
ACTION: Moved		Seconded	
VOTE: Aye	Nay	Abstain	

<u>ITEM IV-A – INFORMATION</u>

STANDING INFORMATION

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item provides an opportunity for information to be shared on the following:

- ➤ Introduction of Newly Seated Representatives Ms. Mary Brown
- Fiscal Monthly Report/Corporate Card Monthly Statement of Account Mr. Roger Bartlett
- Parent/Family Support Unit Calendar of Events (Attached)
- PC/PAC Calendar of Events and Activities (Attached)
- > Parent/Staff Recognition Ms. Mary Brown
- PC/PAC Parent Leadership Institute Ms. Mary Brown
- Child Care Center Food Menu (Attached)
- ➤ Community Resources Parents/Staff Ms. Mary Brown

NOTES:			

CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES PARENT/FAMILY SUPPORT UNIT

<u>EVENT</u> <u>DATE</u>

Male Involvement Meeting	Wednesday, May 18, 2011 4:00 p.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Redwood Room

PC/PAC CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<u>EVENT</u> <u>DATE</u>

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PC/PAC Budget Planning Meeting	Tuesday, May 10, 2011 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Oak Room
PC/PAC Social/Hospitality Committee	Wednesday, May 11, 2011 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Olympus Room
PC/PAC Executive Committee Meeting	Friday, May 13, 2011 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 pm. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Oak Room
PC/PAC Male Involvement Committee Meeting	Wednesday, May 18, 2011 4:00 p.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Redwood Room
Food Services Committee Meeting	Thursday, May 19, 2011 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Oak Room
PAC Executive Committee Meeting	Thursday, May 20, 2011 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Redwood Room
Parent Leadership Institute	Wednesday, May 25, 2011 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. South Natomas Community Center 2921 Truxel Road, Sacramento Registration is 8:30 a.m., training starts at 9 a.m.
PC Executive Committee Meeting	Thursday, May 26, 2011 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Olympus Room
PC/PAC Personnel/Bylaws Committee Meeting	Thursday, May 26, 2011 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. 925 Del Paso Blvd. Olympus Room

SETA Head Start Menu - May 2011

	MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY	FRIDAY		
2	Breakfast: Whole Wheat Blueberry Muffin, Fresh Cantaloupe, Milk Lunch: Spanish Rice with Chicken, Sweet Kernel Corn, Tangerine or Strawberries, Milk Snack: Cheese-It Crackers, Apricot Halves	3	Breakfast: Bagel with Cream Cheese, Fresh Orange, Milk Lunch: Teriyaki Chicken, Steamed Brown Rice, Sunomono Salad, Fresh Kiwi, Milk Snack: Tropical Treat Whole Grain Crackers, Fresh Apple	4	Breakfast: Oatmeal Cereal with Brown Sugar, Fresh Bananas, Milk Lunch: Whole Wheat Pasta with Beef and Tomato Sauce, Green Salad with Italian Dressing, Milk Snack: Rice Cakes, Diced Peaches	5	Breakfast: Whole Grain Pancakes with Maple Syrup, Fresh Apples, Milk Lunch: Turkey and Cheese Roll-up in a Tortilla, Coleslaw, Mango Chunks, Milk Snack: Strawberry Yogurt, Banana	6	Breakfast: Whole Grain Kix Cereal, Diced Apricots, Milk Lunch: Tuna Salad, Saltine Crackers, Fresh Baby Carrots, Fresh Cantaloupe, Milk Snack: Whole Wheat Apple Cinnamon Muffin, Milk	
9	Breakfast: Whole Grain Pancakes with Maple Syrup, Mango Chunks, Milk Lunch: Chili Can Carne with Beans, Saltine Crackers, Diced Apricots, Milk Snack: Jungle Crackers, Milk	10	Breakfast: Whole Wheat Banana Muffin, Kiwi, Milk Lunch: Refried Beans, Flour Tortilla, Tomato Salsa, Tangerine or Strawberries, Milk Snack: Whole Grain Kix Cereal, Milk	11	Breakfast: Whole Grain Biscuit with Jelly, Diced Peaches, Milk Lunch: Chicken Vegetable Stew, Whole Wheat Dinner Roll with Butter, Cantaloupe, Milk Snack: Sound Bites Whole Grain Crackers, Banana	12	Breakfast: Oatmeal with Raisins and Brown Sugar, Pineapple, Milk Lunch: Beef and Whole Wheat Macaroni with Tomato Sauce, Green Salad with Dressing, Fresh Orange, Milk Snack: Bean Dip, Flour Tortilla	13	Breakfast: Multi-Grain Cheerios, Fresh Bananas, Milk Lunch: Roasted Turkey Sandwich on Whole Wheat Bread with Low Fat Mayonnaise, Broccoli with Dip, Fresh Kiwi, Milk Snack: American Classic Wheat Crackers, Cheese Stick	
16	Breakfast: Oatmeal Cereal with Brown Sugar, Fresh Cantaloupe, Milk Lunch: Sloppy Joes, Whole Wheat Bun, Whole Kernel Corn, Apricots, Milk Snack: Sunrise Bites Whole Grain Crackers, Milk	17	Breakfast: Whole Grain Kix Cereal, Fresh Orange, Milk Lunch: Baked Chicken, Mixed Vegetables, Whole Wheat Texas Toast with Butter, Kiwi, Milk Snack: Cottage Cheese, Pineapple Tidbits	18	Breakfast: Whole Wheat Banana Muffin, Diced Peaches, Milk Lunch: Salisbury Beef Steak with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Fresh Cantaloupe, Whole Wheat Dinner Roll, Milk Snack: Cheese Sticks, Apple	19	Breakfast: Bagel with Cream Cheese, Fresh Banana, Milk Lunch: Chicken and Noodles, California Blend Vegetables, Fresh Tangerine or Strawberries, Milk Snack: American Classic Wheat Crackers, Fresh Orange	20	Breakfast: Whole Wheat Blueberry Muffin, Diced Apricots, Milk Lunch: Swiss Cheese Sandwich on Whole Wheat Bread with Low Fat Mayonnaise, Broccoli with Dip, Fresh Orange, Milk Snack: Fish Crackers, Milk	
23	Breakfast: Crispix Cereal, Fresh Apple, Milk Lunch: Chicken Fried Brown Rice, Fresh Orange, Milk Snack: Cheese Sticks, American Classic Wheat Crackers	24	Breakfast: Oatmeal with Brown Sugar, Bananas, Milk Lunch: Macaroni and Cheese, Seasoned Green Beans, Strawberries or Tangerines, Milk Snack: Strawberry Waffle, Whole Grain Grahams, Milk	25	Breakfast: Whole Wheat Apple Cinnamon Muffins, Diced Peaches, Milk Lunch: BBQ Chicken Sandwich on Whole Wheat Bun, Peas and Carrots, Cantaloupe, Milk Snack: Dreamy Orange Whole Grain Mini Loaf, Diced Pears	26	Breakfast: Whole Grain Pancakes with Maple Syrup, Fresh Apple Milk Lunch: Beef Meat Loaf and Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Canned Apricots, Dinner Roll with Butter, Milk Snack: Strawberry Yogurt, Fruit Cups	27	Breakfast: Whole Grain Kix Cereal, Pineapple, Milk Lunch: Roasted Sliced Turkey on Whole Wheat Bread with Non Fat Mayonnaise, Fresh Carrots Sticks, Fresh Kiwi, Milk Snack: Sunrise Bites Whole Grain Crackers, Fresh Apple	
30	Holiday - Memorial Day	31	Breakfast: Whole Wheat Sweet Corn Muffin, Fresh Orange, Milk Lunch: Beef Hamburger on Whole Wheat Bun with Mustard and Ketchup, Whole Kernel Corn, Pickle Slices, Kiwi, Milk Snack: String Cheese, Fresh Apple		de Mayo				May	

<u>ITEM IV-B - INFORMATION</u>

SETA DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PLAN

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item provides an opportunity for Ms. Valerie Powell, TC-III, to share information with the Parent Advisory Committee on the SETA Head Start Disaster Preparedness Plan.

Emergencies and disasters can happen at any time, and typically without notice. Organizations with current relevant disaster plans in place experience the least amount of injury and economic loss and are able to quickly restore services. SETA Head Start has gathered staff, parents and community members to design a disaster preparedness plan that is comprehensive and relevant to the greater Sacramento area. In the event of a disaster, the safety and well-being of children and staff is the utmost priority and reflected throughout the plan.

The purpose of the SETA Head Start Disaster Preparedness Plan is to provide an organized and comprehensive plan of action for center staff, in concert with management, in the case of an emergency or disaster. The structure of the plan has been designed to assist in creating a proactive environment for preparedness, as well as increase confidence of staff and children in the event of a disaster.

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<u>ITEM IV-C - INFORMATION</u>

GOVERNING BOARD MINUTES

This agenda item provides an opportunity for the Parent Advisory Committee to review the Governing Board minutes of April 28, 2011 (attached).
NOTES:

REGULAR MEETING OF THE SACRAMENTO EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING AGENCY GOVERNING BOARD

Minutes/Synopsis

(Minutes reflect the actual progression of the meeting.)

SETA Board Room 925 Del Paso Blvd. Sacramento, CA 95815 Thursday, April 7, 2011 10:00 a.m.

I. <u>Call to Order/Roll Call/Pledge of Allegiance</u>: Ms. Scherman called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m.

Members Present:

Don Nottoli, Chair, SETA Governing Board; Member, Board of Supervisors (arrived at 10:16 a.m.)

Sophia Scherman, Vice Chair, SETA Governing Board; Public Representative Jimmie Yee, Member, Board of Supervisors Bonnie Pannell, Councilmember, City of Sacramento

Member Absent:

Jay Schenirer, Councilmember, City of Sacramento

III. Action Items

A. GENERAL ADMINISTRATION/SETA

1. Approval to Release a Request for Proposals for Sacramento Safe Community Partnership Street Outreach Services

SETA is partnering with the City of Sacramento Police Department and Area Congregations Together (ACT) to develop and implement the City of Sacramento's Safe Community Partnership strategy using the Operation Ceasefire model. This is a community-based approach to reduce gang violence. A copy of the revised RFP was distributed; staff is requesting approval to release an RFP.

Mr. Yee stated that the program needs to start now...

Moved/Pannell, second/Yee, to approve the release of a Request for Proposals for Sacramento Safe Community Partnership Street Outreach services. Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

2. Approval to Extend the Payroll Services Contract with the California Community College Foundation

Ms. Welsch reported that in 2009, the Governing Board approved a sole source contract with CCCF for the summer youth program payroll. CCCF can provide the payroll services as well as the workers compensation insurance for the participants. This is used for SETA's internal programs and some of the providers utilize them. The contract is expiring and staff is requesting a one year contract extension and to retain the option to extend the contract for another year. The payroll rate is 9.2% - 9.5% on top of the hourly rate. This is based on the workers compensation and FICA rate.

Mr. Nottoli arrived at 10:16 a.m.

Moved/Pannell, second/Yee, to approve the contract extension with the California Community College Foundation's Payroll Services contract for one year, retaining the further option to extend for an additional year, if desired. Roll Call Vote: 4-0-0

3. Approval of Revised Job Classifications

Mr. Rod Nishi stated that this item was carried over from the February meeting where the board raised questions on physical demands and qualifications. Mr. Nish reviewed a matrix with four areas of change on the job specifications. For every job specification in the organization, there are four distinct physical requirements. The physical requirements are broken into essential and non-essential physical attributes.

Mr. Yee inquired whether there were there any upgrades in salaries? Ms. Nish replied that for the action requested now, the modifications are only to the job specifications and that there are no economic impacts. Some of the actions taken in March may have had financial impacts.

The board inquired if there were employees saying they cannot do certain things? Mr. Nishi stated that the management would use this if an employee is in a classification that cannot perform a certain duty due to physical limitations. Management would determine whether it is an essential requirement of the job. Management would meet with the staff to determine whether the employee can be accommodated.

Moved/Yee, second/Pannell, to approve the revisions to the classifications identified in the documents distributed. Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

Approval to Reallocate Six Accounting Technician Incumbents to Accountant I

Mr. Nishi stated that this item recommends the reallocation of existing Accounting Technicians to Accountant 1. During part of the job classification study, it was recognized that over time the Accounting Technician job has evolved. There is no

economic impact on this; the incumbents are in the classification of Accounting Technician. One person will stay as an Accounting Technician in Head Start

Moved/Pannell, second/Scherman, to approve the reallocation of six (6) incumbents of the Accounting Technician classification to Accountant I. Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

5. Approval of Re-Titling of Department Secretary Classification

Mr. Nishi stated that this item modifies the current classification title which no longer accurately describes the work of the incumbent. There were no questions or comments.

Moved/Scherman, second/Pannell, to approve the re-titling of the Department Secretary classification to Executive Assistant. Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

6. <u>TIMED ITEM 10:00 A.M. AND PUBLIC HEARING</u>: Approval of Associate Teacher/Infant Toddler Classification and Adoption of the Related Salary Range

Mr. Nishi stated that this item requests approval for a new job classification for a new position. Currently the, care of infant/toddlers are provided by Associate Teachers. Based on clarification from the Office of Head Start, that "...the Office of Head Start has determined that the Child Development Associate Teacher Permit as an acceptable alternative to the CDA when it includes a minimum of *six units in infant toddler course work* as part of the core units." Once approved, the Agency will be doing an internal recruitment so those currently performing in the role can compete for the positions, as well as other Associate Teachers. Mr. Nish provided a correction on step E, which is \$15.44, or 2.5% higher than the current Associate Teacher position. The financial impact is \$25,766 for 26 slots. This will be effective at the beginning of the Head Start budget year which begins August 1.

Mr. Nottoli opened a public hearing; there was no public testimony.

Moved/Scherman, second/Pannell, close the public hearing, and approve the establishment of the new classification of Associate Teacher/Infant Toddler and the related salary range, with the notation for the modification of the salary range. Roll Call Vote: Aye: 4, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 0

7. Approval of Revised Early Head Start Educator Classification

Mr. Nishi stated that the Agency is submitting this item to comply with the Public Law 110-134 "Improving Head Start for School Readiness Act of 2007." This requires all Early Head Start teachers to have a Child Development Associate

(CDA) credential, which California does not issue. Staff requested clarification from Head Start in a letter dated July 26, 2010 and received information that, "...the Office of Head Start has determined that the Child Development Associate Teacher Permit as an acceptable alternative to the CDA when it includes a minimum of six units in infant toddler course work as part of the core units."

Mr. Nish stated that of the 24 existing incumbents, 19 will meet the new requisite education requirements. Letters have been issued to the incumbents in recognition of their educational shortfall and the Agency has gone to lengths to offer classes so the incumbents can stay in their position. There is no financial impact with this revision. The Policy Council reviewed and approved this item.

Moved/Pannell, second/Scherman, to approve the revised classification of Early Head Start Educator.

Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

Ms. Scherman commended Management for working with AFSCME on this issue; she did not receive very many calls on the changes.

Mr. Nishi stated that staff is still working on other revisions of additional classifications and will be meeting with the union and individuals. At the June meeting, there will be another set of recommendations.

8. Approval of Revised Site Supervisor and Head Start Teacher Classifications and Salary Schedules

Mr. Nishi stated that this board item provides an incentive for current Site Supervisors and Teachers to earn a Bachelor's degree. By September 2013, at least 50% of Head Start teachers nationally must have a Bachelor's. In order to provide an incentive, the Agency met with the union and arrived with an incentive option. Currently, the SETA-operated program has 35% teachers with a Bachelor's degree. Many of the delegates have a much higher rate of teachers with Bachelor's degrees.

Current Site Supervisors and Teachers with degrees will receive the incentive. The annualized impact including fringe benefits will be under \$50,000. This will be effective August 1

Moved/Scherman, second/Yee, to approve the revised job classifications of Site Supervisor and Head Start Teacher, including salary schedules with a pay differential for meeting education requirements.

Roll Call Vote: Aye: 4, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 0

Off agenda item.

Mr. Nottoli asked the board to consider an off-agenda item which came to the attention of the board after the posting of the agenda. This item requests approval to utilize reserve funds in the event of a federal government shutdown.

A motion to hear the item needs to be approved.

Moved/Pannell, second/Scherman, to hear the off-agenda item. Voice vote: Unanimous approval.

9. Approval to Utilize Reserve Funds in the Event of a Federal Government Shutdown

Ms. Kossick stated that under federal regulations, SETA is allowed to draw down up to three days of operating cash. Staff is not positive that the federal offices where we can draw down cash will be open since the budget has not yet been approved. These funds would be a safety net for cash flow.

The funds would carry staff through a two week period; if Congress does not act, an emergency meeting will be called to determine what to do. There is \$1.7 million available. As of Friday, the Agency can pull down three days of cash. Options are to take all of the reserve available, determine other options, and hopefully not shut down operations. Once the federal offices are opened, the draw down can be replenished.

Ms. Scherman inquired whether SETA would be affected if the government shuts down and Ms. Kossick stated that it would, but only in respect of drawing down cash.

Moved/Yee, second/Scherman, to approve the use of Agency reserve funds of approximately \$1 million to continue funding existing operations in the event that cash cannot be obtained through the regular federal cash draw-down process. Roll Call Vote: Aye: 4, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 0

B. WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

1. Approval of Funding Augmentation for Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Adult and Dislocated Worker On-the-job Training Providers

Ms. Robin Purdy stated that staff asking approval to augment current OJT providers by \$105,000. Staff has reviewed the training providers' current performance and whether they can work with additional OJT slots. The additional services will be done by June 30, 2011. Recommended augmentation includes:

Asian Resources, Inc. Bach Viet Assn.: \$24,818 Folsom/Cordova: \$26,186

La Familia Counseling Center: \$4,392

Lao Family Community Development, Inc.: \$23,724

North State Building Industry: \$25,938

Sacramento Chinese Community Service Center: \$0

Moved/Yee, second/Scherman, to augment OJT providers with WIA Adult and Dislocated Worker funds as outlined by staff.

Roll Call Vote: Aye: 4, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 0

2. Approval to Support, Participate in, and Submit Regional Proposals to the U.S. Department of Labor

Ms. Purdy stated that SETA has pending applications submitted to the Department of Labor. Ms. Purdy reviewed the proposals being submitted. SETA will be acting as lead agency and fiscal agent.for one of the proposals.

Moved/Yee, second/Scherman, to:

- 1) Approve support and collaboration for the Green Jobs Innovation Fund and the Career Pathways Innovation Fund proposals, and
- 2) Approve SETA to submit a proposal and act as fiscal agent for the Enhanced Transitional Jobs Program.

Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

3. Approve Acceptance of Funds from the City of Sacramento for the Governor's Gang Reduction Intervention and Prevention Initiative (CalGRIP) Program Services and Sacramento Safe Community Partnership and Authorize the SETA Executive Director to Execute any Subgrant Agreements, Modifications and any other Documents Required by the Funding Source

Ms. Christine Welsch reported that SETA and the City of Sacramento have submitted an application for funding; the City has asked SETA to be the fiscal agent and SETA's contracted services amounts are estimated to be \$490,000. Board members requested a full overview of the Safe Community Program.

Ms. Welsch stated that the young people involved in this program are gang members. When seeking participants, 115 young men were called in and 76 attended a 'call in.', Currently, there are 20 participating in the Work Experience program, and over half have engaged in services which is unusual for this population. This program also provides funding for the payroll for a probation officer. This program became operational in November. The Boston program began 15 years ago. Funds are available for life coaching and mentoring.

Moved/Pannell, second/Yee, to:

- Approve acceptance of funds from the City of Sacramento for the Governor's Gang Reduction Intervention and Prevention Initiative (CalGRIP) program services and Sacramento Safe Community Partnership and;
- authorize the SETA Executive Director to execute any subgrant agreements, modifications and any other documents required by the funding source.

Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

 Approval to Augment Soil Born Farms with WIA 15% Green Jobs Corps Funds for Continuation of Program Services of the Green Jobs Corps Program and Extend the Contract through June 30, 2011

Ms. Welsch stated that this is a continuation of the Green Jobs Corps funding targeting young people aged 14-24. The youth are to be engaged in employment/training and community services around green jobs.

Moved/Pannell, second/Scherman, to augment Soil Born Farms with \$7,600 in WIA 15% Green Jobs Corps funds to continue providing services in the Green Jobs Corps program and extend the contract through June 30, 2011. Roll Call Vote: Aye: 4, Nay: 0, Abstentions: 0

5. Approval to Submit a Proposal for Veterans' Employment-Related Assistance Funds (VEAP) and Authorize the Executive Director to Execute the Subgrant Agreement and any Modifications or any Other Documents Required by the Funding Source

Ms. Michelle O'Camb reviewed this item. A total of \$6 million of WIA funds is available with a maximum of \$500,000 per grantee allowed. This application will provide funds for two case managers and job developers. Mr. Walker reviewed where the training will take place. They are mostly transitional jobs to assist the veterans to become employed. Ms. Scherman inquired of the number of veterans assisted in the last six months; Mr. Walker replied that there have been 95 veterans assisted and the goal is 125.

Moved/Scherman, second/Pannell, to approve the submission of a proposal for the Veterans' Employment-Related Assistance Program and authorize the SETA Executive Director to execute the subgrant agreement, modifications and any other documents required by the funding source.

Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

- **C. HEAD START** (both items reviewed together)
- 1. Approval of Program Self-Assessment for 2010-2011

Ms. Denise Lee reviewed the results of a two-week program self-evaluation to ensure quality services continue to be provided to children and families of the Head Start/Early Head Start program.

2. Approval of Community Assessment for 2011-2014

Ms. Denise Lee stated that the Agency is required to look at the community and assess the services available to children. Board members were provided a binder

with the full Community Assessment. Ms. Lee presented key highlights of community areas that affect the Agency's ability to provide quality services to Head Start children and families. These findings were used to develop and prioritize county-wide three-year goals and objectives. These goals include:

Goal 1: Increase prevention and intervention strategies that promote health and wellness for Head Start/Early Head Start staff, children, and

families.

Goal 2: Increase school readiness, develop the roles of parents, students,

and staff in implementing effective strategies for classroom

organization, instructional support and emotional support that lead to a high-quality learning experience, both at home and at school.

Goal 3: Use existing and additional services and systems to increase the

awareness of, and participation in, activities and services which

contribute to family, child, and staff mental wellness.

The Community Assessment will be posted on the SETA web site for public review. Ms. Scherman would like to have a meeting where Head Start is the focal point of the agenda, same for our career centers.

Moved/Scherman, second/Pannell, to approve the following:

1) Approve the Program Self-Assessment for 2010-2011; and

2) Approve the Community Assessment for 2011-2014.

Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

D. COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT

 Approval to Ratify the Submission of an Application to the State Department of Community Services and Development (CSD) for Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Discretionary Targeted Initiatives Funding

Ms. Cindy Sherwood-Green reviewed this item requesting approval to ratify the submission of a grant application. The application was submitted April 1 requesting \$100,000 to develop a project which will provide 85 participants and their families with case management and the skills, resources, and experiences necessary to avoid or overcome obesity and obesity-related health conditions.

The grant will provide services for Head Start youth and their families in the Galt community. In addition, former foster youth and probationary youth will be served.

Moved/Pannell, second/Yee, to ratify the submission of the Healthy Futures grant application to the State Department of Community Services and Development in the amount of \$100,000.

Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

2. Approval of Resolution to Apply for Program Year 2011 Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Discretionary Targeted Initiative Funding and Authorize the SETA Executive Director to Complete and Execute any Documents Necessary for Completion of the Application

Ms. Sherwood-Green stated that this item is the resolution to submit the application just discussed and authorizes the Executive Director to complete and execute necessary documents.

Moved/Pannell, second/Yee, to approve a resolution to apply for program year 2011 Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) discretionary targeted initiative funding and authorize the SETA Executive Director to complete and execute any documents necessary for completion of the application Voice Vote: Unanimous approval.

E. REFUGEE PROGRAMS: No items.

II. Consent Items

- A. Minutes of the March 3, 2011 Regular Board Meeting
- B. Approval of Claims and Warrants

The consent calendar was reviewed; no questions or comments.

Moved/Yee, second/Scherman, to approve the consent calendar as follows:

- A. Approve the minutes of the March 3, 2011 meeting.
- B. Approve the claims and warrants for the period 2/25/11 through 3/30/11. Voice Vote: Unanimous approval, with one abstention (Pannell)

IV. Information Items

- A. Office of Refugee Resettlement Monitoring Review: No questions.
- B. Head Start Reports: No additional report.
- C. Dislocated Worker Update: No additional report.
- D. Employer Activity Report: No additional report.
- E. Unemployment Update/Press Release from the Employment Development Department: No questions or comments.

V. Reports to the Board

A. Chair: No report.

- B. Executive Director: Ms. Kossick introduced Coventry St. Mary, Chair of the Policy Council, and Mary Brown, Chair of the Parent Advisory Committee. Federal auditors are in the process of reviewing some records and will be continuing for a week or so; Ms. Kossick will report back at the next meeting.
- C. Deputy Directors: Ms. Denise Lee stated that the California Department of Education's budget has been cut by 15%; it will either come with a reduction in hours or staffing. Staff has not yet heard about Head Start cuts. The program information results were received and the generic feedback is that SETA is doing extremely well. Board members were thanked for agreeing to meet on April 28. A new Head Start center will be opening next week at Elkhorn and Highway 80.
- D. Counsel: Mr. Larsen stated that there are procedures under the Brown Act regarding teleconferencing. If this is something the board is interested in for future consideration, legal counsel can do research.
- E. Members of the Board: No comments.
- F. Public: Ms. Juanita Sendejas Lopez invited the board members to visit the one stops. There are lots of things going on at the career centers and people are getting jobs.
 Reneé John, Folsom Cordova Community Partnership, provided a number of success stories of last year's summer youth program. The summer youth program definitely has an effect on youth.
- **VI. Adjournment**: Meeting adjourned at 12:18 p.m.

ITEM V - COMMITTEE REPORTS

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item provides an opportunity for the PAC Executive Committee to provide a report.

- A. Executive Committee Ms. Mary Brown
- Critique of the Parent Advisory Committee regular meeting, April 26, 2011.

GOOD	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT	
Cell phones off.	Ms. Denise Lee, thank you for the thorough presentations on budget items.	
Members leaving during presentations	Thank you Ms. Saundra Espinosa and Ms. Connie Myers for making meeting reminder calls.	
Making motions.	Thank you Ms. Rebecca Lewis for serving as Parliamentarian for the PC/PAC joint meetings.	
Staying until end of meeting.	Thank you Ms. Connie Wallace for serving as Secretary.	
Members need to be in their seats prior to start time of the meeting.	Thank you Ms. Saundra Espinosa and Ms. Consuelo Lopez for translating.	

- B. PC/PAC Joint Executive Committee Report Ms. Mary Brown
- C. Budget/Planning Committee Ms. Brown
- D. Personnel/Bylaws Committee Ms. Rebecca Lewis
- E. Social/Hospitality Committee Ms. Mary Brown
- F. Early Childhood Development and Health Services Committee & Parent/Family Support Committee (AKA Child Safety Committee) Ms. Mary Brown
- G. Monitoring and Evaluation Committee (AKA Self-Assessment Committee)
- H. Male Involvement Committee Mr. Victor Goodwin
- I. Community Partnerships Advisory Committee (CPAC) Vacant
- J. Health Services Advisory Committee (HSAC) Ms. Yvette Hernandez
- K. Food Services Committee Ms. Mary Brown

<u>NOTES</u> :		

<u>ITEM VI – OTHER REPORTS</u>

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item provides an opportunity for other reports to be shared with PAC.

- Chair's Report Ms. Mary Brown
- Policy Council Report(s) Ms. Haley Joslin, Ms. Mary Brown, Ms. Connie Wallace, Ms. Kelly Martin, and Ms. Socorro Gutierrez
- ➤ Head Start Deputy Director's Monthly Report Ms. Denise Lee
 - ✓ Monthly Head Start Report (Attached)
- Managers' Reports
 - ✓ Program Support Services Report Ms. Brenda Campos
 - ✓ Parent/Family Support Report Ms. Lisa Carr
 - ✓ Child Development and Education Services Report Ms. Karen Gonzales
 - Region Reports (Attached)

NOTES:			

Monthly Head Start Report May 2011

SETA Operated Program

Family Partnership Update:

"Families Coming Together" Countywide Parent Conference

Congratulations to the conference planning committee for a wonderfully successful *Spring 2011 Parent/Kinship Conference* on April 20th. The Family Support Unit, in partnership with Head Start parents, *Agency on Aging, River Oak Center for Children, Sacramento City USD, Lilliput Children's Services, San Juan USD and Twin Rivers USD*, did a fabulous job of providing a one day conference for Head Start/Early Head Start parents countywide. Mayor Kevin Johnson provided a powerful keynote address along with several professional presenters who provided workshops and breakout sessions. The conference hosted more than 90 attendees and provided child care to approximately 50 children while their parent(s) attended the conference. Great job conference committee!! We look forward to next year.



Nutrition Update:



No Kid Hungry, Share Our Strength, a national organization based in Washington, D.C., has selected SETA Head Start as one of a few Head Start programs to participate in the "Share Our Strength's Cooking Matters" TM pilot program. The "Share Our Strength's Cooking Matters" program, also sponsored by ConAgra Foods ®, will empower families with skills they need to prepare healthy and affordable meals through cooking based nutrition courses. Head Start will bring this information to centers by way of a nutrition "toolkit". The Sharon Neese, Bannon Creek and Freedom Park centers will be the first to participate in classroom activities.

Health Update:

"Health A Palooza" Interactive Program

The Program Support Services, Health and Nutrition Specialists will be sponsoring the "Health A Palooza" in the upcoming months. This new program will provide an interactive visit with favorite Disney® and fairy tale characters to educate children on the importance of good health, good nutrition, safety, and exercise. "There is no place like SETA" for new and innovative ways to present important information to the children of Head Start.

Community Services Block Grant Awarded to SETA

Children and Family Services Department, along with SETA's Workforce Development Department, have been awarded the Community Services Block Grant through the State Department of Community Services and Development which will benefit low-income individuals, families and communities and demonstrate strong partnerships, innovation and sustainability. Head Start youth and their families residing in the Galt community, which has been identified as having the greatest percentage of overweight or obese children among the county's Head Start sites, and the least amount of available community resources will be served through this grant. Youth selected will have been assessed as being overweight and at the highest risk for obesity.

Outcomes of the project include better overall physical wellness, increased awareness of healthy food options, decreased social isolation, improved mental health and greater awareness of community resources.

Enrollment Update:

ELKHORN IS OPEN FOR SERVICES

We are pleased to announce that after much the new Elkhorn Early Learning Center has center-based services. The center serves 80 partand 20 full-day children with two infant/toddler



anticipation, opened for day children classrooms

scheduled to open in the summer/fall of 2011. We extend a big thank you to the Elkhorn staff for their patience and flexibility to serve children/families in a home-base option while the center was being prepared and licensed. Also, a warm thank you to the Hillsdale staff for being so accommodating with their space and sharing classrooms for socializations.

Staff Development Update: Early Learning Mentor Coaches Update

The six (6) Early Learning Mentor Coaches have filled their schedule with initial teacher meetings and observations. Although the Mentor Coaches are able to provide guidance and expertise in many areas, the most popular topics requested by the Proteges are using CLASS to promote quality interactions and concept development, social/emotional support in the classrooms, appropriate transitions and scheduling, assistance with environment and room arrangement, and behavior management techniques.

In the coming months, the Mentor Coaches will be working on structuring and planning teacher forums assessing the classrooms using the ELLCO, an early language and literacy classroom observation tool.

Federal Regulations Update: Appropriation Act for Fiscal Year 2011

On April 15th, President Obama signed Public Law 112-10, the Department of Defense and Full-Year Continuing Appropriation Act, 2011 which included \$7.6 billion for Head Start/Early Head Start programs. This funding will continue services to 965,000 children and their families nationwide. The appropriations also included \$340 million to continue ARRA

expansion funding for the 2011-2012 school year. This means that Sacramento County will continue to serve its current funded enrollment and also continue expansion for 150 preschool children and 196 infant/toddlers (see ACF-PI-HS-11-02 Fiscal Year 2011 Head Start Funding Guidance).

Elk Grove Unified School District

Education Services Update

Liz Aguilar, Education Area Expert from the Sacramento Employment and Training Agency (SETA), and Judy Ellis-OMealey, Education Area Expert from San Juan Unified School District, provided two days of professional development in the Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS) for teachers on a traditional track schedule. CLASS has been adopted by the Federal Government as the observational instrument they will use for assessing classroom quality in preschool classrooms. CLASS focuses on interactions between teachers and students. It is based on developmental theory and research suggesting that interactions between students and adults are the primary mechanism of student development and learning. Our teachers watched vignettes of teachers and students in preschool classrooms, discussed what they saw, and learned how to evaluate the interactions as being low, middle, or high in the areas of emotional support, classroom organization, and instructional support. Teachers on a modified traditional track will be provided with CLASS training on June 6 and June 7.

Enrollment

Elk Grove USD Head Start program is fully enrolled with 380 students in our regular Head Start classrooms and 40 students in our expansion classrooms. Average Daily Attendance in our regular Head Start classrooms was 98%. Average Daily Attendance in our expansion classrooms was 100%.

Disabilities Services and Mental Health Services Update

Elk Grove USD program educators and clerks have worked closely with the Pre-K special education program specialist and our consulting psychologist to place students with active IEPs into the Head Start program. We currently have 53 students (13%), with active IEPs in our program. This number exceeds the 10% minimum required by Head Start.

Health Services Update

Program Educators are monitoring student files and providing additional support to parents and para educators to ensure that children in need of further dental or medical treatment receive those services.

Elk Grove USD served 15,884 meals to our Head Start students this month.

Family and Community Partnerships Update

"What To Do With The Mad You Feel", a class for helping parents learn how to help their children learn the self control necessary to manage anger and channel it into productive

activity, was held on April 5, at Charles Mack, April 6, at Prairie Elementary, and April 7, at Samuel Kennedy Elementary Schools. An average of twelve parents attended these classes.

"Latino Family Literacy," a class for our Spanish speaking parents to provide strategies for working with their children in the area of literacy, was held on April 13 at Samuel Kennedy Elementary School. An average of three parents attended this class.

"Making Parenting A Pleasure", a class for helping parents build their parenting skills, was held April 6 and 13 at Charles Mack Elementary School. An average of ten parents attended the classes at Charles Mack.

"Bring Me A Book", a \$5,000 grant from Target, provided bookcases filled with hardback books and a literacy workshop for parents at Leimbach Elementary on April 5; Isabelle Jackson Elementary on April 11; Samuel Kennedy Elementary on April 12; and Maeola Beitzel Elementary School on March 30. These classes were well received with an average of 8 parents at each of the workshops.

Recruitment

Registrations for the 2011-2012 school year are taking place in each of our three regions. Region I, which includes John Reith Elementary, Herman Leimbach Elementary, Charles Mack Elementary, Union House Elementary and Prairie Elementary Schools, registered 62 families. Region II, which includes Florin Elementary, Isabelle Jackson Elementary, William Daylor High, and Samuel Kennedy Elementary Schools, registered 13 families. Region III, which includes Barbara Comstock Morse Elementary, Maelola Beitzel Elementary, David Reese Elementary, Franklin Elementary, Florence Markofer Elementary, and James McKee Elementary Schools, registered 67 families. A calendar with registration dates for February through June has been created to ensure sufficient time is allotted to have full enrollment by the end of June for the 2011 -2012 school year.

Sacramento City Unified School District

Education and Child Development

In April, our teaching staff received an exciting training on Outdoor Learning, Science and Kindergarten Transition presented by Lakeshore. Lots of great ideas were shared about how outdoor learning creates early, positive experiences with nature, and builds a lifelong appreciation and respect for the environment. Staff was motivated to enhance science, math, literacy and music opportunities in their outdoors environments. In addition, five goals for a successful transition to kindergarten were highlighted during the training - cognitive development, social skills, self-esteem, peer relations and emotional development.

Health

Nutrition opportunities for parents – obesity prevention

Our first six week series "Cooking on a Budget: Cooking Matters" Parent Workshop began last week, May 2nd. This workshop teaches parents hands on cooking preparation, tips and skills. Each week the participants help to prepare a recipe and receive the food items to make the meal at home. We have a Cordon Bleu chef, Elijah Stucks volunteering to demonstrate

the cooking techniques (cutting veggies etc.) and meal preparation. The parents are also learning some healthy food/eating skills (reading labels, nutritional values, food pyramid, and servings). We are hoping to offer 2-3 more workshop series through 2011. This grant was provided through the Health Education Council.

Disabilities

Early Head Start welcomed Scott Model who raised staff awareness of the power of language related to people and children with disabilities. He will be returning in the fall to provide training on managing difficult behaviors.

Monitoring

Grantee EHS Review:

Early Head Start, both center and home-based and Head Start home-based were review by SETA in all areas and were found to have no non-compliances and file reviews indicated strong systems are in place to support individualization for children and services to families.

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San Juan Unified School District

Education Services Update

SJUSD just completed their 2nd DRDP-PS assessment for the 2010-2011 academic year which will guide them in reviewing the data for professional development plans. Classrooms are finishing their 9th Houghton Mifflin theme of "Changing and Growing". Parent conferences occurred in April and the Individual Development Transition Plans were shared with parents at that time.

Disabilities Services Update

Many changes came about during the month of April. SJUSD's program model was completely reconfigured for the coming year, due to major budget cuts. As a result SJUSD had to rewrite their grant for the 2011-12 school year, due to directives from Washington. These changes have and will affect the special needs students enrolled in SJUSD programs. The school board needed to meet, vote and approve the new model. This occurred at the end of the month. The decision was made to hold off on registration for a few weeks in order to create new flyers and forms and to make sure all staff understood the new changes. A meeting was held during the spring break with ECE administration and a representative from the special education department of our district. During that meeting, many site options for the full inclusions were discussed. It was determined that 2 of the 3 current sites will need to move to fit into the new program model.

Nutrition Services Update

In collaboration with School Readiness, each classroom received the following two books: *Mystery Vine* by Cathryn Falwell and *Up, Down and Around* by Katherine Ayres. Both books are full of lessons about healthy food choices and the importance of physical activity. The illustrations and vocabulary in both books present concepts in a child-friendly manner.

Health Services Update

Health is finishing up the second round of dental screenings with Kate Varanelli from Smile Keepers. SJUSD staff is following up with children needing dental care. Health is continuing to screen children in the centralized screening room one day a week. The Nurse continues to train staff regarding the health plans being put in place for children to be able to attend school. Health staff is continuing to do follow-up screenings on children in the classroom. Additionally, Health staff is also starting to review and enter information for the PIR report. SJUSD is starting to prepare for re-registration which starts in May.

Family and Community Partnerships Update

The Policy Committee completed the first reading of the by-laws at the April meeting. SJUSD's new SETA representative was elected and one reinstated at this meeting as well. Self assessment site visits are planned to be completed in the next two weeks.

Transition Services Update

April is a month where SJUSD's teachers begin to share school readiness activities with parents in an effort to support their children academically over the summer. These activities are available to teachers in their Preschool Classroom Transition Resource Binder.

Program Support/Staff Training Update

Lorraine Weatherspoon and Sue Hudnall from CPIN (California Professional Instructional Network) presented a Math training for all teachers on April 15th. They integrated resources from the Preschool Learning Foundations, the Preschool Curriculum Framework and the Creative Curriculum Approach to Math.

Early Head Start

April was a month focused on assessment and evaluation. The spring child assessments are completed and the data gathered will be used for program self assessment and individualized planning for each child. The children continue to thrive! The online version of the child assessment tool has been uploaded to the server and SJUSD staff look forward to enhancing the child assessment system with technology over the next six months. Teacher evaluations were also completed. Amidst all of the uncertainty with budgets, the teachers have maintained their focus on children and learning and it has been inspiring to witness their passion.

Twin Rivers Unified School District

Events

The month of April was filled with excitement for fitness and planning for the upcoming 2011-2012 school year. On April 7th, Morey Avenue students, staff and parents participated in Fitness Day as a part of our obesity reduction goal. Participants exercised with jump ropes, tunnels and balance beams as they sweated their way through the obstacle courses designed

by the Health Component Leaders. Classrooms competed for prizes and the I Am Moving, I am Learning Physical Fitness curriculum was a huge hit!

Enrollment for the upcoming year also began on April 11th. ERSEA Component Leaders spent time streamlining the process to ensure compliance with all of the necessary paperwork requirements.

The Morey Avenue Annual Open House was also a tremendous success. With a Mardi Gras theme throughout the school, parents were shown the spring growing projects of grass and beans, seen art displays and created make and take activities with their children in the classrooms. Parents were amazed at the students' creative schoolwork. The finale was FREE books and ice cream at the library. A great time was had by all. Photos attached.

Professional Development

Plans are underway for additional staff training on May 27th focusing on the implementation of the Creative Curriculum materials. Details will be forthcoming.

The Summer Activities Training has been scheduled for May 4th in collaboration with the SETA Training Unit. This event will provide parents with information on how to entertain their children during the hot summer months with free and low cost activities.

Components

The Component Leaders continued providing assistance to our students and families. The Speech Language Pathologist provided speech services to 32 students at Morey Avenue. The Social Worker continues to work on follow-up for the Family Partnership Agreement forms. The Friendship Skills groups continue and the final details for the annual Multicultural Faire are being finalized.

The Enrollment Component Leader started enrollment for the 2011-2012 school year. The revised forms and process have been outlined and returning students began on April 11th. Enrollment will continue until the summer break (June) and resume again in August 2011.

The Education Coordinator provided support and mentoring for the teachers. Teachers have finished the second assessment period and data will be analyzed. Teaching staff are also updating their Plan of Actions related to their ECERS and DRDP-PS assessments. In collaboration with the Social Worker, the Education Coordinator is also coordinating a Preschool Transition Event for May 11th. The event will include tours of the kindergarten classrooms, meet and greet with the kindergarten teachers and resources and information on kindergarten standards.

Policy and parent Committees

Parent Committees meetings held at both Kohler and Woodridge school sites. Policy Committee meeting held on April 12, 2011 at Kohler Elementary School. Members approved the previous minutes, reseating of Ekuah Gilbert-Ramsey, use of remaining funds and decided on details for the upcoming Parent Appreciation Day on May 26, 2011. Next meeting is scheduled for May 17, 2011 at 9 a.m. at Woodridge Elementary School.

Parenting

Due to the low enrollment, the ESL classes were discontinued. Efforts will resume in the fall. Parents were provided information for two nearby elementary schools who are also offering ESL classes at various times.

WCIC

Special Events

WCIC's 75th Anniversary Celebration Planning Committee met on April 26, 2011. The weeklong (August 1st - 6th, 2011) celebration will include: Diverse Artists Show, Children's Literacy Program, Poetry/Spoken Word, House Party (with a Dress Attire theme from the 1930's), and a Banquet Gala. Monthly updates will continue. The entire weeklong activities are scheduled to take place at WCIC, 3555 3rd Avenue.

WCIC's Annual Open House, which was hosted by Board Member, Dr. David Covin, was a success on April 30, 2011. The event included: an R&B band, a Jazz band, diverse foods, networking, and approximately 150 guests and/or members of the organization. The 75th Anniversary Commemorative Artwork was unveiled, which is a symbol of "Mother of Many," the Founding Mothers' Birth of the Women's Civic Improvement Club.

Program Design and Management

WCIC values team leadership, education, team-building, and stability of diverse quality staff. WCIC/Playmate staff members received their "Cultural Awareness" and "Impacts of Violence on Children" certificates of training from the Child Abuse Prevention Council. This certifies that the staff members successfully completed the two day, two hour trainings as part of the Quality Child Care Collaborative.

Early Childhood Education

WCIC/Playmate Head Start Programs will graduate/transition 75 children to Kindergarten in 2011-2012. **CONGRATULATIONS SACRAMENTO HEAD START PROGRAMS!!!**

Family and Community Partnerships

The recruitment of partnerships continues monthly to enhance the quality of existing services to our Head Start families. The following partners are in place: UC Berkeley Early Childhood Math Project, City of Sacramento, Oak Park Community Center, NIA Women of Purpose, The Effort Clinic, UC Davis Medical Center African American Faculty and Staff Association, and the UC Davis Medical Center Pathology Department.

Recent Program Instruction Memos from Administration for Children and Families (ACF)

ACF-PI-HS-11-01 Fiscal Year 2011 Head Start Funding Guidance ACF-PI-HS-11-02 SF-425 Federal Financial Report Form Replaces SF-269

SPECIAL EDUCATION REPORT

Sacramento County Head Start/Early Head Start (As of 04/30/11)

The Special Education Report shows the percentage of enrolled preschool aged children with a diagnosed disability receiving services through an Individualized Education Plan (IEP). For Early Head Start, the Special Education Report shows the number of children ages 0-3 who are receiving early intervention services through an Individualized Family Services Plan (IFSP).

Head Start Program Performance Standards Reference: 1305.6 (c) states that at least 10% of the total number of enrollment in each grantee and delegate agency must be made available to children with disabilities.

County (4621)* (653)*	566	(12%)	89	(14%)
(1878 Tracks)				
SETA (2796) (345)	242	(13%)	47	(14%)
WCIC (120)	13	(11%)	N/A	
San Juan USD (700) (161)	70	(11%)	27	(17%)
Sacramento City USD (1292)(147)	142	(11%)	15	(10%)
Elk Grove USD (420)	64	(15%)	N/A	
Twin Rivers USD (211)	25	(12%)	N/A	_
Agency/AFE (HS)(EHS)	Head Star	t #IEP (% AFE)	Early Hea	d Start #IFSP (%AFE)

^{*} Totals include ARRA enrollments

AFE = Annual Funded Enrollment

[%]AFE = Percentage of Annual Funded Enrollment

Site	Loc Id	Track II	# Enrolled 4/29/11	# Present 4/29/11	# Absent 4/29/11	# Term W/I 30 days
Off Track		1				
Off Track		2				
Off Track		3				
Auberry Park	1238A	3	20	13	7	
Auberry Park	1238B	1	20	17	3	
Bannon Creek	1200A	1	20	11	9	
Bannon Creek	1200B	1	20	13	7	
Bannon Creek	1200X	3	20	11	9	
Bright Beginnings	1201A	3	20	17	3	
Bright Beginnings	1201B	3	20	13	7	
Bright Beginnings	1201C	3	20	16	4	
Bright Beginnings	1201D	3	18	8	10	2
Broadway ELC	1246R	1	21	12	9	
Broadway ELC	1246X	3	20	14	6	
Country Woods	1245A	1	19	12	7	1
Country Woods	1245B	3	20	17	3	
Country Woods	1245C	1	20	13	7	
Country Woods	1245D	3	18	13	5	2
Crossroad Gardens	1242A	3	21	11	10	
Crossroad Gardens	1242R	1	20	18	2	1
Crossroad Gardens	1242U	EHS	8	4	4	
Crossroad Gardens	1242X	3	21	18	3	
EHS-HB OPTION	1230B	EHS	11	7	4	1
EHS-HB OPTION	1230C	EHS	12	12	0	
EHS-HB OPTION	1230D	EHS	12	5	7	
EHS-HB OPTION	1230E	EHS	13	10	3	
EHS-HB OPTION	1230F	EHS				
EHS-HB OPTION	1230G	EHS	12	12	0	
EHS-HB OPTION	1230H	EHS	13	10	3	
EHS-HB OPTION	12301	EHS	11	10	1	
EHS-HB OPTION	1230J	EHS	11	9	2	1
EHS-HB OPTION	1230K	EHS	12	10	2	
EHS-HB OPTION***	1230L	EHS	12	7	5	
EHS-HB OPTION***	1230M	EHS	13	8	2	
EHS-HB OPTION***	1230N	EHS	14	9	5	
Elkhorn	1255A	3	21	14	7	
Elkhorn	1255B	1	20	15	5	
Elkhorn	1255C	1	21	17	4	
Elkhorn	1255X	1				

			# Enrolled	# Present	# Absent	# Term W/I 30
Site	Loc Id	Track II	4/29/11	4/29/11	4/29/11	days
Freedom Park	1239A	3	19	14	5	1
Freedom Park	1239B	1	20	18	2	
Freedom Park	1239C	1	19	14	5	1
Freedom Park	1239D	1	18	16	2	2
Freedom Park	1239R	3	20	18	2	
Freedom Park	1239X	3	21	18	3	
Fruitridge	1216A	3	17	14	3	3
Fruitridge	1216B	1	20	16	4	
Fruitridge	1216X	1	21	21	0	
Galt	1234A	1	20	15	5	
Galt	1234B	1	20	16	4	
Galt	1234C	3	20	13	7	
Galt	1234D	3	20	17	3	
Galt	1234E	3	20	17	3	
Galt	1234F	1	19	16	3	
Grant Skills	1217A	1	19	13	6	1
Grant Skills	1217B	3	20	16	4	
Grant Skills	1217C	1	20	20	0	
Grant Skills	1217D	1	20	17	3	
Grant Skills	1217X	3	20	18	2	1
Grizzly Hollow	1252A	1	20	18	2	
Grizzly Hollow	1252B	3	20	12	8	
Grizzly Hollow	1252U	EHS	8	7	1	
Hillsdale	1228A	1	20	13	7	
Hillsdale	1228B	1	19	16	3	1
Hillsdale	1228C	3	20	11	9	
Hillsdale	1228D	3	20	14	6	
Hillsdale	1228R	3	21	19	2	
Hillsdale	1228X	3	21	17	4	
Home Base Option	1213A	1	12	12	0	
Home Base Option	1213B	5	13	11	2	
Home Base Option	1213C	1	12	9	1	
Home Base Option	1213D	3	12	0	0	
Home Base Option	1213E	3	12	10	1	
Home Base Option	1213F	3	13	13	5	

			# Enrolled	# Present	# Absent	# Term W/I 30
Site	Loc Id	Track II	4/29/11	4/29/11	4/29/11	days
Hopkins Park	1253A	1	20	15	5	
Hopkins Park	1253B	3	20	14	6	
Hopkins Park	1253C	1	20	19	1	
Hopkins Park	1253D	3	20	15	5	
Illa Collin ELC	1221A	3	20	12	8	
Illa Collin ELC	1221B	1	20	13	7	
Job Corp	1237M	EHS	7	5	2	
Job Corp	1237U	EHS	8	7	1	
Job Corp	1237X	3	20	17	3	
Kennedy Estates	1240A	1	18	16	2	
Kennedy Estates	1240B	3	18	15	3	
La Riviera	1241M	EHS	8	5	3	
La Riviera	1241R	1	20	14	6	
La Riviera	1241U	EHS	9	7	2	
La Riviera	1241X	3	22	19	3	
La Verne Stewart	1219A	1	21	16	5	
La Verne Stewart	1219B	3	20	14	6	
Mather	1223A	3	20	13	7	
Mather	1223B	1	19	14	5	1
Mather	1223R	1	20	17	3	
Mather	1223U	EHS	8	6	2	
Mather	1223X	3	20	13	7	1
Nedra Court	1244A	3	19	15	4	1
Nedra Court	1244B	1	19	14	5	1
Nedra Court	1244C	1	20	15	5	
New Helvetia I-EHS	1212U	EHS	16	12	4	
New Helvetia II-HS	1247A	1	20	14	6	
New Helvetia II-HS	1247B	1	19	13	6	1
Norma Johnson ELC	1214R	1	20	16	4	
Norma Johnson ELC	1214U	EHS	8	5	3	
Norma Johnson ELC	1214X	3	19	14	5	
Northview	1224A	1	20	14	6	
Northview	1224B	3	20	10	10	
Northview	1224R	1	20	12	8	1
Northview	1224U	EHS	8	7	1	
Northview	1224X	3	21	17	4	
Parker Avenue	1207E	5	8	5	3	3

Site	Loc Id	Track II	# Enrolled 4/29/11	# Present 4/29/11	# Absent 4/29/11	# Term W/I 30 days
Phoenix Park	1248R	1	20	14	6	1
Phoenix Park	1248U	EHS	8	7	1	
Phoenix Park	1248X	3	20	17	3	
River Oak EHS HB***	1280A	EHS	12	9	3	
River Oak EHS HB***	1280B	EHS	12	11	1	
River Oak EHS HB***	1280C	EHS	13	10	2	
River Oak EHS HB***	1280D	EHS	12	7	5	
River Oak EHS HB***	1280E	EHS	12	9	1	
SCOE EHS HB***	1281A	EHS	12	5	7	
SCOE EHS HB***	1281B	EHS	11	9	1	1
SCOE EHS HB***	1281C	EHS	13	9	4	
Sharon Neese ELC	1249R	3	21	15	6	
Sharon Neese ELC	1249U	EHS	8	5	3	
Sharon Neese ELC	1249X	1	21	19	2	
Solid Foundation	1254A	3	19	17	2	1
Solid Foundation	1254B	3	19	17	2	1
Solid Foundation	1254C	1	20	14	6	
Strizek Park	1225A	1	20	17	3	
Strizek Park	1225B	3	20	12	8	
Vineland	1211A	3	20	15	5	
Vineland	1211B	1	20	15	5	
Walnut Grove	1235A	3	16	12	4	
Walnut Grove	1235C	3	15	8	7	
Whispering Pines***	1215A	5	20	13	7	
***ARRA Expansion						

Seta Head Start Food Service Operations Monthly Report * April 2011

April 1st through 8th - La Riviera Classes moved to the Sharon Neese Center due to plumbing repair problems.

April 8th - Norma Johnson closed due to water shut off by the complex.

April 11th - Elkhorn Head Start Center Opens

April 11th & 12th - All EHS Classes Closed for Training

April 14th - EHS Home Base Field Trip, Lunch & Snack Provided for 150 Guests Special Field Trip Menu - Total Cost \$181.28

April 18th - Elkhorn Center Opens one Full Day Class with 10 Children.

April 18th through 22nd - All WCIC Centers Closed for Spring Break

April 27th - Raymond's Home Base Field Trip, Lunch & Snack Provided for 72 Guests Special Field Trip Menu - Total Cost \$192.73

Meetings and Trainings:

SYSCO Food Show at the Sacramento Convention Center was attended by some of the Food Service Staff on April 6th.

Total Number of Meals and Snacks Prepared for All Kitchens

Lunch PM Snack Breakfast Field Trips 42.144 25.352 29.594 900

Total Amount of Meals and Snacks Prepared 97,990

Purchases:

Food \$72,851.62 Non - Food \$19,344.22

Building Maintenance and Repair: \$1,111.61

Kitchen Small Wares and Equipment: \$0.00

Vehicle Maintenance and Repair: \$2,626.50

Vehicle Gas / Fuel: \$2,541.04

Normal Delivery Days 21

<u>ITEM VII – DISCUSSION</u>

BACKGROUND:

This agenda item allows Parent Advisory Committee Representatives the opportunity to ask questions about the program pertinent to their centers.
NOTES:
ITEM VIII - PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
BACKGROUND:
Participation of the general public at the SETA-Operated Program Parent Advisory Committee meeting is encouraged. Members of the audience are asked to address their request to the Chair if they wish to speak.
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ITEM IX- ADJOURNMENT
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