



## Colorado Special Education Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Thursday, February 22, 2024  
Meeting Location: Online via ZOOM

**CSEAC Mission:** Our mission is to actively represent children/youth with disabilities and impact decisions made on their behalf to enhance the quality of educational services.

**CSEAC Vision:** All learners are respected and challenged with high expectations, their needs are met, and student aspirations for success are fulfilled.

**Members in Attendance:** Shelly Agostine, Heather Alderman, Julia Allison, Susan Archuleta, Betsy Basch, Erin Camper, Jill Choate, Jessica Cuthbertson, Laurie Ditterline, Amy Dobronyi, Michel Friberg, Heidi Graber, Nicole Gross, Eva Leon, Jill Pidcock, Amy Rosengrants-Smith, Shannon Sloane, Cassie Sudbeck, Amanda Summers, Ann Wilson

**Absences:** Kelly Balderston, Cori Canty, Samantha Hollister, Kaegan Smith, Shelli Tillery, Kate Tshikalu-John

**CDE Staff and Other Guests:** William Brown, Affective Needs / Serious Emotional Disability Specialist, Exceptional Student Services Unit (ESSU), CDE; Beth Donahue, Family Engagement Specialist, ESSU, CDE; Gloria Durosoko, Data Monitoring Specialist, ESSU, CDE; Paul Foster, Executive Director, ESSU, CDE; Ellen Hunter, Supervisor / Literacy Specialist, ESSU, CDE; David Ramer, Program Support Assistant, ESSU, CDE; Jewel Sale, Data Consultant, School Climate and Engagement, CDE; Debora Scheffel, State Board of Education Liaison

Welcome, Introductions, Public Comment and CSEAC Parent Input

- Members and guests introduced themselves.
- There was no public comment.

Minutes Approval

- The November minutes were approved unanimously without amendment.

Local SEAC Spotlight

- Eva Leon gave an overview of the Falcon District 49 group.



## Subcommittees

- Subcommittees met and reported out.

## Constituent Input Groups

- Constituent Input Groups met and reported out.

## Information Session: Protection of Individuals from Restraint and Seclusion Act - William Brown, Affective Needs/Serious Emotional Disability Specialist, ESSU, CDE

- William gave an overview of the act.

## Information Session: Parent Survey Results - Gloria Duroske, Data Monitoring Specialist, ESSU, CDE

- Gloria presented the results of the parent survey.

## Updates from the State Board of Education - Dr. Deborah Scheffel, State Board of Education Liaison

- Dr. Scheffel updated CSEAC on SBE matters.

## Information Session and Feedback Opportunity: HB22-1376 District Profile Reports - Jewel Sale, Data Consultant, School Climate and Engagement, CDE

- CSEAC offered feedback on the bill.

## Information Session and Feedback Opportunity: State Systemic Improvement Plan (SSIP) - Paul Foster, Executive Director, ESSU, CDE and Ellen Hunter, Supervisor/Literacy Specialist, ESSU, CDE

- CSEAC gave feedback on the plan.

*Respectfully submitted by David Ramer, December 2024*

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