

# **NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

## **Special Education Advisory Panel**

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Special Education Advisory Panel, and to the general public that the Special Education Advisory Panel will hold a meeting, open to the public, as specified below. The Special Education Advisory Panel reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, with the exception of public hearings. One or more members of the Special Education Advisory Panel may participate telephonically.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02 (H), the Special Education Advisory Panel may discuss and take action concerning any matter listed on the agenda.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03 (A) (3), the Special Education Advisory Panel may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, for legal advice concerning any item on this agenda.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Victoria Glock, Exceptional Student Services, (602) 542-5446 (voice phone), (602) 542-1410 (TDD). Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

DATED AND POSTED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of 2017

By \_\_\_\_\_

  
Alicia Williams  
Executive Director  
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### **AGENDA**

#### **Special Education Advisory Panel**

November 14, 2017

9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Arizona Department of Education

3300 N. Central Ave

Room 16-100

Phoenix, Arizona

**Contact Information**

**Special Education Advisory Panel**

Title	Name and Phone Number
Co-Chairperson	Nancy Williams, M.Ed. (602) 818-4650
Co-Chairperson	Christopher Tiffany, M.A. Ed. (602) 615-2565
Vice-Chairperson	Leanne Murrillo, CTRS (602) 296-0535

**Arizona Department of Education**

Title	Name and Phone Number
Deputy Associate Superintendent	Alissa Trollinger (602) 542-1565
Administrative Assistant	Jeannette Zemeida (602) 542-3855

**Agenda**

Agenda Item	Responsible Person
Call to Order.	Nancy Williams, SEAP Co-Chairperson
Approval of September 26, 2017 and October 11, 2017 minutes.	Chris Tiffany, SEAP Co-Chairperson
<p>Call to the Public.</p> <p>Guidelines: Comment on agenda items as panel goes through them. Those wishing to address the panel need not request permission in advance. Action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or rescheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.</p>	Nancy Williams, SEAP Co-Chairperson

Agenda Item	Responsible Person
<p>State Board of Education Special Education Rules</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10/23/17 meeting update</li> <li>• Review of rule changes</li> <li>• Implications for ESS guidance</li> </ul>	<p>Alissa Trollinger, Deputy Associate Superintendent, Exceptional Student Services</p> <p>Kacey Gregson, Deputy Director, Legal Services, Dispute Resolution</p>
<p>Member Reports from the Field</p>	<p>SEAP Members</p>
<p>Early Childhood</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Developmental Inventory for K-3</li> <li>• Domains</li> <li>• Development of formative assessments</li> <li>• Project for LEAs</li> <li>• Capacity building and access</li> </ul>	<p>Suzanne Perry, Director, Early Childhood Special Education</p>
<p>Exceptional Student Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organizational Chart</li> <li>• Resolution of Federal Fiscal Audit</li> <li>• Connections with other governmental agencies such as mental health</li> <li>• State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report (SPP/APR) – Significant Disproportionality Update</li> </ul>	<p>Alissa Trollinger, Deputy Associate Superintendent, ESS</p> <p>Kacey Gregson, Deputy Director, Legal Services, Dispute Resolution</p>
<p>Professional Learning and Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PD Priorities- SEAP input</li> <li>• Available Opportunities</li> <li>• Outreach to LEAs, Parents</li> </ul>	<p>Tracey Sridharan, Director of Professional Learning and Development, ESS</p>
<p>Recruitment of Staff in Special Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current data</li> <li>• Recruitment efforts</li> </ul>	<p>Tracey Faulkner, ESS Recruitment/Retention</p>
<p>Special Education Advisory Panel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Annual Report Draft Comment and Approval (Action Item)</li> </ul>	<p>SEAP Panel Members</p>

Agenda Item	Responsible Person
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consideration of Items for Advisement (Action Item)</li> <li>• Consideration of Committee work needed</li> <li>• Key Points from Meeting</li> <li>• Suggested future agenda items</li> </ul>	
Next Meeting Date: January 23, 2018	Leanne Murrillo, SEAP Vice Chair

**Panel Functions:**

- Advise the state education agency (SEA) of unmet needs within the State in the education of children with disabilities.
- Comment publicly on any rules or regulations proposed by the State regarding the education of children with disabilities.
- Advise the SEA in developing evaluations and reporting on data to the Secretary under 618.
- Advise the SEA in developing corrective action plans to address findings identified in federal monitoring reports.
- Advise the SEA in developing and implementing policies relating to the coordination of services for children with disabilities.
- Review and comment on completed due process hearing findings.