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STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Connecticut State Advisory Council for Special Education

Executive Committee

Wednesday, October 7, 2020

******* 12:15 p.m. to 1:00 p. m. *******
Teams Meeting

MINUTES

Members Present: Tammy Raccio (Chair), Tom Cosker (Past Chair), Jennifer Lussier (Vice Chair), Nachi Bhatt, Susan Lemke, Sean Cronin (SDE non-voting) and Bryan Klimkiewicz
Members Absent: Jolie Medina (SDE non-voting)

I. Call to Order:

Tammy called meeting to order at 12:18 pm.

II. Public Comment: N/A

SAC meetings are public meetings and members of the public may participate.
Call-In Number: 866-880-0098
Participant Code: 89689633

III. Council Matters:

Discussion about membership and open positions. Membership Committee will meet, review current openings and terms ending. Will recommend to the Executive Committee new members as identified. Will also share membership list with expiration dates etc.

Discussion about workgroups from meeting on 9/30. Two workgroups were combined for that meeting due to attendance. Groups that did meet developed working documents, which will be placed into Microsoft Teams and share with members of the group. Those who have not joined a group will be asked to join a group or be assigned to a group after a date (TBD), if they have not responded.

Looking forward to the full day meeting 11/18, Bryan updated the Exec Committee about forthcoming changes with the SSIP including updated indicators. SAC will provide feedback on setting baseline and targets prior to delivery of feedback in January 2021.

Also, slated for the next SAC meeting will be discussion around LRE in pre-K as some action plans have been put on hold. Alternative activities will be shared and discussed.

More discussion about the agenda for 11/8/20 including the annual report in January will happen at the next Exec. meeting.

IV. **Summary/Action Items:**

V. **Adjourn:**

Meeting adjourned at 1:03 pm.