



Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC)

Meeting Agenda - Draft

Wednesday, November 4, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Regular Business Meeting

Meeting Details

Visitors complete Registration to Access Meeting

Type of Meeting: Business Meeting

Chairperson: Dr. Donna Case

Office of Special Education Director: Teri Chapman, Ed.S.

SEAC Facilitator: Teri Pettit, Ed.S.

Intended Outcome

Function #1 of the SEAC: Advise re: Unmet Needs

The SEAC is charged with identifying Unmet Needs within special education and bringing them to the attention of the State Board of Education (SBE) and the Michigan Department of Education (MDE).

1. Create an understanding of Michigan's three special education funding pots.
2. Increase understanding by looking at what statistics show us about special education funding in Michigan, what the repercussions are, and what recommendations have previously been made.
3. Begin to think about how we may apply the knowledge we learn today moving from hearing about it to acting on it in order to assist us in meeting our #1 Priority for the year - Advise our members to speak with their constituents to ask Congress to fully fund (40%) costs for students with disabilities.



Agenda Items

9:00 a.m. – Opening

Approval of minutes/agenda/roll call

9:05 a.m. – Business Meeting

Chairperson report

9:20 a.m. – Priority 1 Review

Teri Pettit

9:30 a.m. – Understanding the 3 Buckets of Special Education Funding

John Andrejack and Scott Kemmer-Slater - OSE Program Finance Unit

9:45 a.m. – Understanding Special Education Funding in Michigan

Dr. Scott Koenigsnecht, Deputy Superintendent, P-20 System & Student Transition

10:30 a.m. – Due Process Case Review

Rebecca McIntyre, OSE Program Accountability Supervisor

11:15 a.m. – Office of Special Education Update

Teri Rink, OSE Director

11:40 a.m. – Legislative Update

Caroline Liethen, Legislative Liaison, Office of Public & Governmental Affairs

11:55 a.m. – Wrap-Up

December forecast

12:00 p.m. – Adjourn