Contra Costa County

Meeting: Program Services Subcommittee Date: 3/2/2022 Time: 5:30pm to 6:00pm

Location: Via Zoom Facilitator: Magda Bedros Recorder: Salvadora Castro

Attendees: Conference Call Attendees: Magda Bedros, Salvadora Castro, Romina Gonzalez, Jasmine Cisneros, Myriah Herrington, Zully Acosta, Ana Araujo, Karen Medrano, Michelle Mankewich, Dr. Aaron Alarcon Bowen

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| Desired Outcomes (Document who reviews meeting outcomes and ground rules) | • Magda Bedros welcomes group and meeting started at 5:34pm  
• Jasmine Cisneros read Desired Outcomes  
• Discussed on Transition to Kindergarten, so that parents receive information about the social-emotional aspect of this process and are aware of what steps they can take to ensure this important transition is a smooth one. |
| Public Comment | • N/A |
| Reports / Presentations / Discussions / Comments | • Magda presented Kindergarten Transition  
1. Kindergarten registration information  
   Registration starts early in the year so getting them prepared is important.  
2. Beginning Kindergarten skills  
3. Preparing for the First Day of School (Visiting the school with the child ahead of time)  
4. Summer Reading List  
5. Review Road Map to Kindergarten Brochure  
6. Backpacks and reviewed backpack materials.  
• Karen shared how her positive experience was when transitioning from Head Start to Kindergarten with her children how it made the change much easier.  
• Myriah stated that Head Start program does a fantastic job explaining and walking through the transitioning process. |
| Next Steps | • N/A |
| Meeting Evaluation Plus | • Wonderful to hear the connection that the Head Start Program has with the families regarding the transitioning into Kindergarten of the children. |
| Deltas | • N/A |