

SUPERINTENDENTS GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

Tulare County Office of Education

Cedar Conference Room

Tuesday, February 24, 2026

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

AGENDA

Notice: If documents are distributed to SGC members concerning an agenda item within 72 hours of regular committee meeting, at the same time the documents will be made available for public inspection at:
Tulare County/District SELPA Office located at 6200 S. Mooney Boulevard, Visalia, CA 93277

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George Eddy - Chairperson

- I.**
- A. Public Comments
Members of the public may address the board on any agenda item or other item of interest within the subject matter jurisdiction of the board during the public comment period. The public may also address agenda items at the time they are taken by the board.
- B. Introductions – George Eddy, Chairperson
Guest Superintendent:
- Jeffrey Cooley, Superintendent, Waukena Joint Union School District
 - Lou Saephan, Superintendent, Woodville Union School District
- C. Review of SGC Agenda Packet – Tammy Bradford, Assistant Superintendent, Special Services and SELPA Administrator
- II.** **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
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- A. [Approval of minutes for November 18, 2025.](#)
- III.** **STAFF REPORTS**
- A. Parent Liaison Report – Malinda Furtado, Parent Liaison, Special Services
Malinda will provide information regarding the following:
- [Annual CAC Awards Ceremony](#)
 - [Request for Honorees for the Joint Annual Luncheon Meeting](#)
 - [Nominations for the Linda Hess Award](#)
- B. AcCEL Enrollment Data Reports – Sarah Hamilton, Administrator, Academic Collaboration for Exceptional Learners
Sarah will provide the following information regarding county-operated AcCEL classrooms:
- [Tulare County SELPA Census Day Comparison](#)
 - [Special Education Reports](#)
 - [TCOE AcCEL Program Census Day Comparison](#)
 - [2025/26 AcCEL Referrals & 2026/27 Classroom Projections](#)
- IV.** **COMMITTEE REPORTS**
- A. [Directors of Special Education Committee – John Woods](#), DOSE Representative to SGC
John will report on December 1, 2025, and February 2, 2026, meetings of the Directors of Special Education Committee.

V.

NEW BUSINESS

- A. [AcCEL Transportation Bill Back](#) – **Jody Arriaga**, Director, Internal Business Services
Jody will present the AcCEL Transportation Bill Back for July-December 2025 for superintendent’s review.
- B. [First Principal Apportionment](#) – **Jody Arriaga**, Director, Internal Business Services
Jody will report on the first apportionment and the amount of funding each local educational agency generates.
- C. [AB 602 Allocations](#) – **Jody Arriaga**, Director, Internal Business Services
Jody will present information regarding SELPA/District expenditures and revenues.
- D. [ERMHS Funding](#) – **Tammy Bradford**, Assistant Superintendent, Special Services and SELPA Administrator
Tammy will give an update on current ERMHS funding and what the future holds.

VI.

ANNOUNCEMENT

- A. CAC Luncheon – Save the Date! The Joint Luncheon of the Community Advisory Committee, Superintendents Governance Committee and Directors of Special Education Committee will be on **Thursday, May 14, 2026, at 12:00 p.m. in the Tulare County Office of Education, Redwood Conference Center.**

VII.

SELPA ADMINISTRATOR HOT TOPICS

- A. Superintendents will discuss topics of interest – **Tammy Bradford**, Assistant Superintendent, Special Services and SELPA Administrator
 - [LEA BOP Newsletter](#)
 - Alternative Achievement Program (AAP)

VIII.

ADVANCED PLANNING

- A. [Request for Agenda Items for Future Superintendents Governance Committee Meetings](#)
- B. [Next Meeting](#) – The next Superintendents Governance Committee meeting will be Tuesday, April 21, 2026, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Cedar Conference Room of the Tulare County Office of Education.