

IEAC Advisements w/ State Education Agencies

Monday, June 17, 2024 10-11:30am

Navajo Preparatory School and Zoom

Leading: Jovanna Archuleta, IEAC Chair, Jeremy Oyenque, IEAC Vice-Chair, & Dr. Karla Moore, IEAC Secretary

Participating: IEAC Members, PED Secretary, PED IED Assistant Secretary, ECECD Secretary, ECECD Assistant Secretary, HED Secretary, and HED Deputy Director of IED at HED

Notes

1. IEAC Member Introductions
2. Secretary/ Asst. Sec. Introductions
3. Strengthening our Partnership Questions:
   1. How will the three departments help the IEAC reconvene to be most purposeful and a true Advisory Council?
   2. How are IEAC advisements/recommendations put into action, what should be our collective process?
   3. Can the three agencies work to combine a monthly meeting that highlights education across PED, ECECD, and HED? *Ex: The 3rd Wednesday of every month from 10-11am is the C2C Indian Education Meeting*

**After discussion, there was a decision that there would be bi-monthly meetings scheduled with the 3 agencies and IEAC, all parties agreed this was workable and would help keep flow and progress throughout the year. It was also decided that all 3 agencies and the IEAC would work towards scheduling a more robust and detailed Government-to-Government Summit that was longer than half a day and closer to the 2-4 days that previously was scheduled. In addition, the three educational agencies will identify an opportunity for a contractor to support the IEAC in meeting the requirements and organization of the Council.**

1. Discussion points with Secretaries from IEAC members
2. PED **The Summer Literacy offering has 9,400 participants across the state and several are being hosted by tribes, graduation rates are up, bilingual seal numbers are up, and the FY 25 IGAs have started being released to tribes. TESSR data should be out next month.**
3. ECECD **Starting ground for education and building a foundation. Will share ECECD’s system mapping process with IEAC and PED and HED, PED might use this to visually show the many processes to obtain a bilingual seal and outcomes/opportunities to earning a bilingual seal.**
4. HED **Bilingual Seal graduates should be recruited by universities and this information will be shared out and encouraged by HED**
5. Fall G2G Meeting will focus on the following IEAC Advisement areas:
6. Advisement 1: Evaluating the Efficacy of Equity Councils
7. Advisement 2: IEAC Reconstitution
8. Advisement 3: Monitoring Tool for the Native American Student Needs Assessments
9. Closing and Next Steps

**IEAC will work with 3 agencies to schedule a July meeting to start the bi-monthly arrangement.**

**PED will look into how School Boards can be more aware of academic outcomes, IEAC may wish to provide an advisement in support of this to help.**

**Indian Education Advisory Council**

Jovanna Archuleta Northern Pueblos, Chair

Jeremy Oyenque, Northern Pueblos, Vice Chair

Dr. Karla Moore, At-Large – Non-Native, Secretary

Dr. Kim Lanoy-Sandoval, Navajo Nation

Joseph Garcia, Southern Pueblos

Chad Pfeiffer, Navajo Nation

Marsha Leno, Southern Pueblos

Melissa Armijo, Public Education Commission

Rachel Tsethlikai, Urban-Albuquerque

Dr. Andy Nez, Navajo Nation

Cheryl Benally, Navajo Nation

Berdine Largo, Mescalero Apache

Tammy Salazar, Jicarilla Apache Rep

VACANT - At Large – Head Start

VACANT - Urban-Farmington

VACANT - At Large – BIE

VACANT - Urban-Gallup

**State Education Agencies**

Mariana Padilla, Children’s Cabinet Director

Elizabeth Groginsky, ECECD Cabinet Secretary

Cotillion Sneddy, ECECD Assistant Secretary of Native American Early Ed. And Care

Dr. Arsenio Romero, PED Cabinet Secretary

KatieAnn Juanico, PED Assistant Secretary, Indian Ed, Division

Stephanie Rodriguez, HED Cabinet Secretary

Nathan Moquino, Tribal Liaison and Director of the Indian Ed. Division

**Guests:**

Monty Begay, IED Deputy Director, PED

Secretary Sarita Nair from Workforce Solutions

Amber?

Anthony Allison, State Representative

Governor Zuni of the Pueblo of Isleta

Dr. Chino from APCG

Crystal Suazo, Pojoaque TED

Desirae Aguilar, HED