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Memorandum

Date: May 19, 2016

To: Dr. Karen Janney, Superintendent

From: Ana Maria Alvarez, Assistant Superintendent

RE: English Language Learner Master Plan Development

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide the Board of Trustees with an update of the English Language Learner Master Plan development timeline. As part of our systemic role out for this program, a team of district directors and site administrators has been participating in the San Diego County Office of Education Program Development and Evaluation Module.

Attachment I – Timeline for English Language Learner Master Plan Development

EL MASTER PLAN PROCESS

SERVING OUR SWEETWATER SCHOOL DISTRICT EL STUDENTS

January 2016

Our District will be revising the English Learner Master Plan between January of 2016 - May of 2017. Full implementation goal is for the 2017-2018 school year.

Reasons:

- The prior plan is in draft form and was not adopted.
- There have been changes in the California State Standards and assessments
- There have been changes by the CDE for serving our EL students
- There will be a replacement assessment for the CELDT
- Analysis of our EL data leads us to the conclusion that we need to do better
- Parent groups are stating that we need to do better

Process:

WHO WHAT • Identify staff that Establish meetings March: Set goals for want to work on the 2016-17 Gather input from

- **ELMP**
- Identify staff that can provide input on draft versions
- key stakeholders on EL needs
- Work on draft
- Recieve feedback
- Revise Plan

- April 2016: Identify **ELMP** teams
- May: Review exsiting draft and align new draft table of contents to Federal Program Monitoring (FPM)

Interested staff in this process can contact the Director at the Office of Language Acquisition, State and Federal Programs and should apply via the Google Doc link.

EL MASTER PLAN 2016 - 2017 timeline



August 2016 - October 2016

Prepare a working draft for review committee



November 2016- January 2017

Review committee provides feedback to writing committee



February 2017

Draft is presented at DELAC and meetings with counselors, admin, ELD teachers for input.



Final draft is presented to the School Board