

Small School District Council

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Summary of Small School District Council

Election of LPC Representatives – Scott Mikal-Heine and Jesus Vaca were elected to serve as the Legislative Policy Committee representatives for this year.

Funding & Enrollment Challenges – Ongoing concerns around instability, declining enrollment, and program cost pressures.

ELOP Implementation – Issues with unclear metrics, staffing shortages, and limited county office support.

Special Education Costs – High transportation expenses and county program structures continue to be challenges.

Other Concerns – Topics included toilet training in TK, contractor bidding issues, and accountability requirements.

Legislative & Regional Updates – Kordell Hampton shared updates on education bills, parent opt-outs, charter oversight, and expanded learning programs.

Shared Message Focus Sheet – Members identified five key realities facing small school districts for ACSA advocacy.

Leadership Summit – Members were encouraged to register for the upcoming Leadership Summit in San Francisco this November.