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Dear CSD Families and Community,

I would like to extend an invitation to all families to serve an active role in molding and shaping the masterpiece that is CSD in the capacity of CAC member.

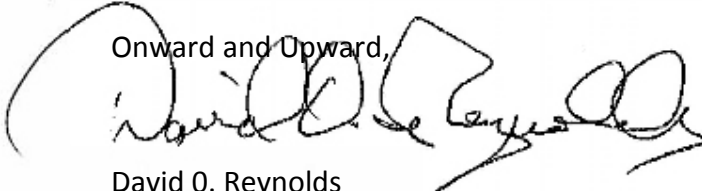
CSD's Community Advisory Committee (CAC) is comprised of families of children enrolled in the California School for the Deaf in Fremont collaborating as a team alongside educators, service providers, and others who advocate for the needs of Deaf and Hard of Hearing students at the local, state and national levels. It was established in 1978 in compliance with a mandate set forth in the California Education Code, Part 30, Article 7, Section 56190.

The activities of the CAC include but are not limited to reviewing the CSD School Plan and plans for Deaf education, suggesting annual priorities, assisting in family education, advising the administration and making recommendations about CSD programs, and encouraging community involvement. At our recent meeting September 13th, the priorities were identified as:

1. Student and Parent Handbook
2. Communication with Community and Families
3. Our Outreach Efforts
4. Listening Session Outcomes
5. Student Retention

Currently we are recruiting new families to serve a 2-year term on the Committee, which meets the second Wednesday of the month from 4-6 p.m. in the Superintendent's Conference room. We are looking for families of current students, as well as one family of a CSD graduate. If you are interested, please contact the CAC secretary, Barbara Hyde (CSDCACsecretary@gmail.com) for a membership application.

Onward and Upward,


David O. Reynolds
CAC Chairperson
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