

Community Advisory Committee
Parent Ambassador Working Group Report
Wednesday, March 17, 2021

John Perron, Chairperson

At last week's CAC Ambassador Working Group meeting attendees discussed the following concept:

The basic plan includes having one CAC parent member for each local LAUSD District. The Local District & the Community of Schools (COSA) representative assigned to special education Will be expected to team up with the CAC Parent Ambassador in a two-way communication in order to begin a dialogue which will inform the local site parents, staff, administrators, principals & teachers regarding LAUSD special education and specifically CAC matters. Issues brought to the attention of the Ambassador and representative team will be forwarded to CAC for review, considered for potential action and referred within LAUSD as deemed appropriate.

It is desirable to form certain cohort groups as the plan moves forward and takes hold. To be determined.

In a round-robin conversation it was decided to consider opinions and suggestions provided by CAC membership for options regarding the selection of parent ambassadors. Volunteers or elections were considered viable options.

During brainstorming session it was also mentioned that we may potentially hold an additional meeting on this matter once the working group and Leadership commit to a selection process. To be determined.

It was agree that it is fortunate that we are revising bylaws at this time and the potential for a summer that includes CAC activity and meetings will likely be invaluable as we move to wrap up this process.