

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 10.5

Meeting Date: May 6, 2021

Subject: Adoption of the Comprehensive Coordinated Early Intervening Services Plan (CCEIS) to Address Significant Disproportionality
□ Information Item Only □ Approval on Consent Agenda □ Conference (for discussion only) □ Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated:
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Recommendation: Approve

<u>Background/Rationale</u>: The California Department of Education (CDE) has identified the Sacramento City Unified School District as significantly disproportionate based on race or ethnicity with respect to the identification of children with disabilities and type of disciplinary actions, including suspensions and expulsions. Specifically, SCUSD is significantly disproportionate in:

- Identification
 - African American students with respect to the eligibility of Emotional Disturbance
- Discipline
 - African American students greater than 10 days out-of-school

<u>Financial Considerations</u>: Under the Federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) requirements, if an LEA is identified as significantly disproportionate, the LEA must reserve 15 percent of its 611 and 619 IDEA grant funds to provide CCEIS to students in the LEA. Use of funds within the plan should occur within the allowable CCEIS budget period of 27 months. SCUSD Significant Disproportionality 15% reserve is \$1,421,529.

<u>LCAP Goal(s)</u>: College, Career and Life Ready Graduates; Safe, Emotionally Healthy, Engaged Students; Operational Excellence

Documents Attached:

N/A

Estimated Time of Presentation: 20 minutes

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