

Meeting Minutes

**California Teleconnect Fund (CTF) Administrative Committee (AC) Meeting**

California Public Utilities Commission, Webex

March 17, 2022

**Meeting called to order at 9:05 a.m.**

**1. Introductions**

**Committee Members Present:** Sean McLaughlin-Access Humboldt (Chairperson, Community Based Organization (CBO), Jarrid Keller-Sacramento Public Library (Vice-Chairperson, Libraries), Alison Dias-CDE (Education), Kenneth Rothschild (Deaf), Kate Beck (Public Advocates Office), Victor Smith (Public Advocates Office), Saira Pasha-AT&T (LEC), Vinhcent Le – Green Lining (CBOs)

**CPUC Staff Present:** Adam Clark (CTF), Karo Serle (CTF), Amy Lau (CTF), Wylen Lai (CTF), Emily Chen (CTF), Johnny Tran (CTF), Miriam Sidney (CTF)

**Public Participants Present:** Yes

**American Sign Language Interpreters Present:** Yes

**Absent Members:** Casey McFall (CBO), Mussie Gebre (Deaf), Geoff Belleau-California Department of Education (CDE)(Education)

**2. Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items**

No public comment

**3. Review Agenda**

Approved

**4. Review and Approve Prior Meeting Minutes**

Approved December 9, 2021 meeting minutes

**5. Action Items from Last Committee Meeting**

**Action Item:** Committee member Keller to draft a template letter for member recruitment.

**Status:** Ongoing

**Action:** Staff member Lisa-Marie Clark and Committee member Rothschild to do outreach in DDTP AC meetings for interests in the CTF-AC vacant seats.

## **6. Status of CTF**

### **a. Applications**

CTF discussed applications data. (PowerPoint slide #8)

### **Recertifications**

CTF discussed recertifications (PowerPoint slide #9)

### **b. Claims and Program Finances**

CTF discussed Claim fund status. (PowerPoint slide #10 and #11)

## **7. Oracle Updates and PCMS**

No Oracle updates.

CTF discussed updates to PCMS project (PowerPoint slide #13)

## **8. Discussion of Budget and Committee recommendation**

PowerPoint slide #14

Question: What expenditures are covered?

Answer: There shall be no per diem for preparation work. (Refer to CTF-AC Charter 3.8 Expenses and Per Diem)

**Action:** CTF to circulate last year's budget to Committee.

## **9. CD Staff Presentation of R.20-09-00, Digital Divide**

CTF presented background information and beneficiaries of funds.

## **10. Administrative Committee Vacancies**

Seven current vacancies (PowerPoint Slide #16)

Public Hospitals/Clinics – Primary/Alternate

Rural Clinics/Telemedicine – Primary/Alternate

CBO - Alternate

LEC – Primary

Public Library - Alternate

**Action:** Committee members to recruit new members

**11. Annual Work Plan**

No update

**12. AC Annual Report**

Previous annual reports available at [CTF AC Annual Reports](#).

**Action:** Committee member Beck to request specific data from CTF Staff.

**Action:** Committee members Keller and McLaughlin to prepare FY Annual Report.

**13. Form 700 Reminder**

**Action:** Committee members to complete and submit Form 700

**14. Identify Items for next Agenda**

-Digital Divide

-Budget

-Los Angeles County Office of Education

**Next AC Meeting Dates:**

Tentatively on Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup>

AC meeting adjourned at 12:17 p.m.