North Wasco Advisory Body Meeting

October 10, 2023

Attendees: Allie Ivey, CJ Toole, Dr. Bernal, Val Rector, Sarah Pierce, Karen Perez, Kim Feicke, Stephanie Bowen, Mauree Donahue-Revie, Kim Kiser, Amy Hampton, Shannon Brennan, Melissa Reger-Furler, Sarah Smutz, Mairead Beane-Kelly, Jessica Catellier, Donna Sholtis, Elizabeth Murphy, Andrea Flores, Jonathan Fost, Beth Runciman, Jim Taylor, Faith Gouge, Henry Begay, Addie Case, Andrea Tolson, Karin Allen, Cindy Miller

1. Welcome & Connection

- a. The Intensive Program is like seeds it is going to take time to germinate and requires patience and paying close attention to needs
- b. Grounding: Centering students and community
 - i. Who are you bringing to this space?
 - 1. Themes:
 - a. It is important to bring the voices of those who are not always at the table
 - b. We need to think about supporting students from early learning through and beyond high school
 - c. We need to think about what the district will look like at the end of this four years and beyond

c. Community Agreements

- i. An Invitation to a Brave Space
- ii. Community Agreements
 - 1. We need to center diversity, equity, and inclusion within our conversations.
 - 2. We need to listen with critical curiously with an analytical perspective.
 - 3. We need to assume best intentions acknowledging that we are not always going to agree.
 - 4. We need to learn from the past but be future oriented because just staying in the past can make us stay stagnant.

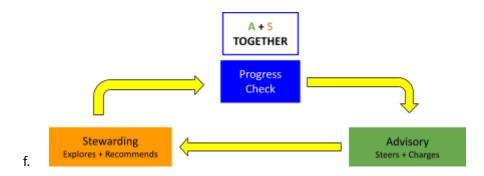
2. Logistics

- a. Google Shared Folder
 - i. All documents discussed during the meeting are available in this folder.
 - ii. We will continue to print documents so that there are tangible resources for meetings.
- b. Calendar for the 2023-24 School Year
- c. Calendar Invites: Stewarding + Advising Body Meetings: 10/10, 1/18, 1/31, 4/18, 6/6 (5:00-6:30), Location TBA

i. Information regarding the location of our next Advisory Body meeting will be sent out to all members

3. What is the Intensive Program?

- a. The Intensive Program is an opt in/invite only program.
- b. We must think big to start small to move slow to go far this is a helpful framing for the Intensive Program.
- c. North Wasco Share: Why we accepted the invitation... Our hopes...
 - i. Accepted the program, as we welcome any support to our district
 - ii. Helpful to have partners.
 - iii. Acknowledge the need to grow, and hoping to build communication through the district.
- d. The SST is the heart of the Intensive Program made up of the Advisory Body and Stewarding Body both of which include internal and external members.
- e. Advisory Body Role/Stewarding Body Role: Intensive Program Student Success Team Overview



g. Funding

- i. Intensive Program: \$2,857,411.88 over 4-years
- ii. Student Investment Account Funding
 - 1. Tapered model to build district capacity toward developing sustainable funding beyond the Intensive Program

4. Recommendation Process

- a. Recommendation Process
 - i. The examples in the document show that there are many different ways that recommendations can be brought forth
 - ii. It is important to remember that the recommendation process is iterative and takes time
 - iii. Progress Checks will occur quarterly during Advisory Body meetings in order to check on progress of both Intensive Program recommendations and SIA funding
- b. Brief Overview of Early Recommendations
 - i. Director of Prevention and Intervention (Sarah and Dr. Bernal)

- ii. Root Cause Analysis for Overidentification of students to special education (CJ and Sarah)
- iii. Next steps in the Early Recommendation Process

5. Open Space

a. Allie's contact information: allie.ivey@ode.oregon.gov, 503-508-2443

6. Closing

- a. Be on the lookout for a Google form for asynchronous feedback on early recommendations and barriers to participation
- b. Next Advisory Body Meeting: 1/18, 1/31, 5:00-6:30, Location TBA