## **Zachary Special Education Advisory Council**

The Special Education Advisory Committee (ZSEAC) is a state-mandated, district-level committee charged with providing input to the school district regarding special education and related services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and Louisiana Department of Education (LDE) Bulletin 1706. This is a volunteer position for a 2-year term in accordance with the school district's ZSEAC procedures.

## **Major Responsibilities**

This position has primary responsibility for working with other ZSEAC members to fulfill the following functions outlined in Louisiana law<sup>1</sup>:

- a. Provide advice and feedback regarding special education policies, procedures, and resources.
- b. Engage in outreach activities to the community at large to increase the level of knowledge, support, and collaboration with respect to special education.
- c. Meet at least three times a year.
- d. Participate in development of a report to be submitted to the local public-school superintendent (or the administrative head of the charter school or other public school) in May of each year regarding the committee's activities.

## **Members 2022 – 2024**

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Act 274 of the 2019 Louisiana Legislature.