State of California Instructional Quality Commission

# JANUARY 2019 AGENDA ITEM MEMORANDUM

**Date:** January 9, 2019

**TO:** Members, Science Subject Matter Committee

**VIA:** Cliff Rudnick, Administrator

 Instructional Resources Unit

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**SUBJECT:** Science Subject Matter Committee Agenda Items

## Item 6: Science Subject Matter Committee

1. **Election of Vice Chair (Action)**

Nominations for Vice Chair of the Science Subject Matter Committee will be accepted and an election conducted.

1. **Establish Goals for 2019 (Information/Action)**

Review of 2018 Goals

1. Participate fully in the 2018 Science Instructional Materials Adoption.

2. Continue to support the implementation of the *CA Science Framework*.

3. Remain informed on issues that affect curriculum, assessment, professional learning, and instructional materials in science education, including the *CA Next Generation Science Standards (CA NGSS)*, the Common Core State Standards (CCSS) strand for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects, and the Education and the Environment Initiative (EEI).

1. Remain informed on the California Statewide System of Support (CAS3) and integrate, as appropriate, guidance aligned with the CAS3.

Proposed 2019 Goals

1. Continue to support the implementation of the *CA Science Framework*.
2. Remain informed on issues that affect curriculum, assessment, professional learning, and instructional materials in science education, including the *CA NGSS*, the CCSS strand for Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects, and the EEI.
3. Remain informed on the CAS3 and integrate, as appropriate, guidance aligned with the CAS3.
4. **Other Matters/Public Comment**

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