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AHSA Quarterly Meeting
Standing Committee Agenda & Meeting Minutes
Early Childhood Development Committee
11/16/22

DATE OF MEETING: 11/16/22 Time: 1:30-3:00pm MST		LOCATION OF MEETING: Mesa Convention Center 263 N Center St. Mesa, AZ 85201 Building B Cholla Romm
COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:		
City of Phoenix	Maricopa County Human Service Department-Early Education Division Gretchen Bonkoske	Catholic Charities Westside Head Start
Chicanos Por La Causa Early Childhood Development	Child Crisis AZ	Northern Arizona Council of Governments (NACOG): Dayna Smith
Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG): Dadonda Maggett	Pinal Gila Community Child Services, Inc (PGCCS):	Urban Strategies-
Child Parent Centers, Inc (CPC):	Greater Phoenix Urban League Head Start:	Salt River Early Education Center:
Southwest Human Development: Cecelia Alaniz	AZ Department of Education:	
VISITORS:		
NEXT QUARTERLY COMMITTEE MEETING: Date: 1/19/23 1:30-3:00pm Location: Zoom Meeting ID: 841 4854 6657		



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Location: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84148546657?pwd=amdGT3ZaaUVBSU9uQndCMGdRV01UUT09>

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE/ PRESENTER
I. Call to Order & Welcome	Welcome and Introductions: Call to Order: 1:08 pm See above for Intros. Take Aways from trainings from the previous night's trainings.	Gretchen Bonkoske
II. Approval of Minutes	Minutes from September Meeting Motion to Approve: Motion: Dadonda Maggett Second: Cecelia Alaniz All in Favor: Minutes Approved	All
III. Elections	Vice Chair Vacant: No nominees	Gretchen Bonkoske
IV. Pending Updates	Review of Previous Action Plan: We reviewed the Data from years prior and Workforce Registry's ask of us. Decided we have an ask of the Workforce Registry – Possible CDA track with their trainings? Creation of Action Plan for 2023: Working to gather data with Workforce registry and create an MOU. (See attached Action Plan)	All



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	Collaboration with ADE and ACSPD	
V. Collaboration	<p>Open: Why work with Workforce registry? ~ Individual: Free Professional Development, Scholarships for CDA's and Associates Degrees. ~ Programs: Not needing to pay for CDA fees, Aiding in collection of statewide and National data on ECE professionals.</p> <p>Concerns: -Staffing: Struggling to find qualified staff and those who do come in without a CDA getting them into a program for those classes. Cece shared that SWHD has someone within the program that does the classes and supports the teachers with their CDA. Gretchen shared Maricopa is utilizing TSG's Quroum's CDA path for the classes and Workforce Registry to aid in paying the CDA fees.</p>	All
VI. Announcements	<p>Next Meeting: Thursday, Dec. 15th, from 1:30-3:00pm. Location: Zoom Meeting ID: 841 4854 6657 Passcode: 053077 Location:https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84148546657?pwd=amdGT3ZaaUVBSU9uQndCMGdRV01UUT09</p>	
VII. New Updates		
VIII. Follow up items for next Quarterly Mtg.		All
IX. Adjourn	<p>Motion to Adjourn: Motion: Dadonda Maggett</p>	All Members



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	Second: Cecelia Alaniz All in favor: Motion to Adjourn approved. Closed meeting at 2:47 pm	