



**EARLY CHILDHOOD COUNCIL (ECC)
RESEARCH AND POLICY COMMITTEE
JOINT MEETING WITH
FAMILIES AND CHILDREN WORKING GROUPS
Monday, December 21, 2009, 6:00 PM
Austin City Hall, 301 West Second St., Room #2016
Austin, Texas**

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first three speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

3. OLD BUSINESS: DISCUSSIONS AND POSSIBLE ACTIONS

- a. Parks and Open Spaces: 1/4 mile parks resolution and other updates
- b. Family-friendly design initiative
- c. Child Care
- d. Education
- e. Discussion of Fall 2009 Goals
- f. Discussion of Name for Umbrella group

4. NEW BUSINESS: DISCUSSIONS AND POSSIBLE ACTIONS

- a. Next Steps for implementation of task force recommendations.

5. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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