



**EARLY CHILDHOOD COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2012, 6:00 PM
AUSTIN ENERGY ASSEMBLY ROOM #130
721 BARTON SPRINGS ROAD, AUSTIN, TEXAS
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AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

1. PURPOSE OF THE EVENING MEETING AND INTRODUCTIONS
2. DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
3. PRESENTATIONS
 - a. School Readiness Plan Summary – Sue Carpenter, Success By 6
 - b. Child Care Licensing Update – TDFPS Licensing Staff
 - c. Taking Charge of Change, Cohort #3 – Cindy Rodriguez
4. **CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The first 15 speakers signed up will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns. (Sign-up will continue until Citizen Communication ends.)
5. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** April 11, 2012 meeting
6. WORK GROUP REPORTS, OVERVIEWS, AND POSSIBLE ACTIONS
 - a. Early Childhood Council Overview – Kyle Holder
 - b. Policy and Finance Work Group
 - c. Providers Work Group – Jacquie Porter
 - i. Request for ECC to review PARD requirements for child care centers use of city pools
 - d. Public Awareness Work Group

7. STAFF BRIEFING AND POSSIBLE ACTIONS – Ron Hubbard, Early Childhood Coordinator

- a. Coordinator Overview
- b. HHSD Update

8. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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For more information on the Early Childhood Council, please contact Ron Hubbard, Early Childhood Coordinator, Health and Human Services Department, at (512) 972-5028 or email: Ron.Hubbard@austintexas.gov .