

# EARLY CHILDHOOD COUNCIL WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 2019 9:00AM

# CITY HALL, BOARD AND COMMISSION ROOM #1101 301 WEST SECOND STREET, AUSTIN, TEXAS

#### **AGENDA**

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

- 1. INTRODUCTIONS
- 2. DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
- 3. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first five speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns.

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**: February 13, 2019 Regular Meeting Minutes

#### 5. PRESENTATIONS

- a. Neighborhood Housing and Community Development (NHCD) FY 2019-23 Consolidated Plan and FY 2019-2020 Action Plan- Angela Sommers, Research Analyst Senior at NHCD and Leslie Boyd, Grants Program Manager at Austin Public Health
- b. Parks and Recreation Department long-range planning and current and future early childhood programming- Kim McKnight, Environmental Conservation Program Manager, and Lucas Massie, Acting Assistant Director

#### 6. NEW BUSINESS AND POSSIBLE ACTIONS:

- a. Chair updates, Acting Chair Raul Alvarez
  - i. City of Austin FY2020 Budget
- b. Work group updates
  - i. Policy work group, Anna Lisa Conlin
    - 1. State legislative issues
  - ii. Community Partnership and Engagement work group, Rebecca Harrison
  - iii. New member orientation work group, Mary Jane Burson and Rachel Farley
  - iv. Success By 6 Action Plan leadership team, Mary Jane Burson-Polson

#### 7. STAFF BRIEFING AND POSSIBLE ACTIONS

- a. Update on City staff response to Council Resolution 20181004-036 directing the City Manager to evaluate fee and zoning regulations relating to child care centers
- b. Week of the Young Child (April 8-12) and related Proclamation (tentative- April 11 City Council meeting, arrive by 5:00 p.m.)
- c. Prenatal to 3 updates

## **8. RELATED GROUPS** (Only as needed)

- a. Austin Association for the Education of Young Children
- b. Child Care Licensing
- c. Child Incorporated
- d. E3 Alliance
- e. Success by 6
- f. Workforce Solutions

### 9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. Presentation on ATX Success By 6 Coalition Action Plan
- b. ATX 2-Generation Strategic Plan- Family Opportunity Roadmap
- c. Next meeting April 20, 2019, 9 a.m. City Hall, Room 1101

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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