

Early Childhood Advisory Council Meeting

October 21, 2021, immediately following the SCFS Board of Trustees Meeting https://zoom.us/i/92196505922?pwd=WnA4MFlvZWJXWmFJU21xK2YzWndFdz09 Minutes

Dr. Edward Simmer

Jennifer McConnell

Dr. Amy Williams

Jesica Mackey

Nicole Wynkoop

John Hayes

Walter Fleming

Tim Holt

Members Present (19):

Dave Morley, Chair Dr. Shelley Canright Sen. Gerald Malloy Rep. Rita Allison Dr. David Mathis Robert Kerr Mary Lynne Diggs Sue Williams Michael Leach

Attendees (74):

Georgia Mjartan Abby Thorman A Brewton Amanda D. Scott Amber Gillum Amy Engle Avian Jones Beth Moore **Betty Gardiner** Bett Washington Bill Potapchuk Blaine Van Dyne Brittany Bush Candi Lalonde Carletta Isreal Cassie Barber Chastine Dickey-Jackson Dr. Chelsea Richard **Cheryl Scales-Chavis** Christy Stanton Cindy Ellis Cindy Galloway Cindy Kellett Cindy Riley

Derek Cromwell Dione Brabham David Mathis Dorian Young Dorina Frase Dorothy Priester Eunice Medina Gina Beebe Janice Kilburn Jared Busker Jasmin Tucker Jennifer Williams Jon Artz Joy Mazur Jovce Kimrev Justin Siuba Karen Oliver Kate Roach Kathy Fitzgerald Dr. Kerry Cordan Kim Archung Kim Trudell Kristen Martocchio LaMyra Sanders

Alexia Newman Laura Baker Lavinia Tejada Leah Crosby Leesa Aiken Lexi Jones Lis Guimaraes Marc Drews Mark Barnes Martha Strickland Marcia Cohens Peggy Ball Pierce McNair Rachal Hatton-Moore **Rogers Pender** Rustv Monohollon Sally Cauthen Samantha Ingram Sarah Crawford Sarah Eargle Shayla Pettigrew Sheila Cornwell SheKiah Reese Stacy Greenwalt

Suzanne McGougan

Roger Pryor

Members Absent (4):

Sen. Greg Hembree Rep. Jerry Govan Dr. Michelle Fry Janie Neeley

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Mr. Morley called the ECAC meeting to order at 3:06 p.m.



Dr. Canright asked for a motion to adopt the agenda. Mr. Holt provided the motion. Mr. Kerr provided a second and the motion was unanimously approved.

Dr. Canright asked for a motion to approve the August 19, 2021 minutes. Mr. Morley provided the motion. Ms. Williams provided the second and the motion was unanimously approved.

Bill Potapchuk of Community Building Institute presented the South Carolina Birth through Five plan.

Dr. Canright asked for a motion to approve the principles of the South Carolina Birth through Five Plan. Dr. Williams provided the motion. Ms. McConnell provided the second and the motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Pryor made a motion to accept all of the proposed key measures of success except item number 4. Dr. Simmer provided a second and the motion unanimously approved.

Dr. Canright asked for a motion to approve the objectives and strategies of South Carolina's Birth through Five Plan. Dr. Mathis provided the motion and Dr. Williams seconded. The motion was unanimously approved.

Ms. Mjartan presented on the ECAC report on activities by providing an update on the First5 SC, the Birth through Five Communications Roundtable, and the 2021 Summit on Early Childhood.

Dr. Canright asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Williams provided the motion. Mr. Holt provided a second and the motion was unanimously approved.

The meeting was adjourned by Dr. Canright at 4:08 p.m.