

Montgomery County Commission on Child Care Full Commission Meeting Agenda Wednesday, March 23, 2022 6:00-8:00 pm

Meeting Will Be Held Via Microsoft TEAMS Videoconference/Teleconference

A link to the meeting can be found here or you can dial in using the following criteria: 443-692-5768,947444951#

The mission of the Commission on Child Care is to advise the County Executive and County Council on the development, implementation, and effectiveness of government policies, programs, and services that enhance community support for quality, affordable and accessible child care.

6 pm Call to Order and Opening: Rotating Chair, Tara Phillips

- Roll Call (to determine quorum)
- **Introduction of Guests** (if present)

**Any guests participating via videoconference or teleconference please unmute and identify yourself (name) at this time

Review and Vote of January 26, 2022 Meeting Minutes (sent electronically)

Brief Discussion about Chair, Vice Chair and Executive Committee (Erin Stillwell)

Call for Nominations for Chair and Vice Chair Position (election to be held on May 25th)

Brief Discussion about the CCC's June 22nd Annual Planning Retreat (virtual or in person)

Priority Work Discussion (Facilitated by Dr. Barbara Andrews)

Session Topic: Maryland Blueprint (Pre-K) Overview and Feedback from the February 23rd ECE Community Forum on the Maryland Blueprint

Discussion Question to Consider:

- What do you see as the primary needs and/or concerns of community early childhood programs that wish to consider applying for state Pre-k funding?
- A diverse delivery program is publicly funded PreK delivered in public schools **and** in community early childhood programs. The Blueprint law requires 30% of the programs be in community early childhood in the first year and 50% in five years. How do you see the role of the school system (MCPS) in this process?
- Are there unintended consequences to offering public Pre-k that you are concerned about?

Discussion/Questions on Updates (if available)

- Dr. Barbara Andrews, State Legislative Updates
- Bill Polman, Manager, Community Use of Public Facilities (CUPF)
- Yvonne Iscandari, Administrator, Office Eligibility and Support Services (OESS)

Questions/Comments (Meeting guests are welcome to unmute and ask questions at this time)

8:00 pm Full Commission Adjournment