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Council Meeting

February 14, 2020 1:00 – 3:00 PM Copeland Health Education Pavilion 1911 Johnson Ave, San Luis Obispo CA 93401

MINUTES

Members Present:

Lisa Fraser Nancy Norton
Jenn Kreps Mika Buchanan
Michelle Holm Sheri Wilson

Lauren Thorne Jamie Sanbonmatsu Cherie Fields Lisa Duncan-Purcell

Guests:

Shana Paulson (CCRC)

Staff:

Nataly Renteria Raechelle Bowlay

Meeting called to order by Chair, Lauren Thorne at 1:10 PM with welcome and introductions.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion to approve consent agenda, including adoption of the agenda and January 8, 2020 minutes, made by Jenn Kreps, seconded by Michelle Holm, and approved unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Shana Paulson, CAPSLO Child Care Resource Connection

- Licensing is coming out. Child Care Advocate, Shoghig Khadarian, will provide updates and answer questions. This session will be on March 14, 2020 from 1:00 3:00 PM at CAPSLO Child Care Resource Connection.
- Trauma Informed Care Training on March 14, 2020 from 11:30 AM 12:30 PM at CAPSLO Child Care Resource Connection.
- 2019 California Child Care Portfolio just released last week.
- Attachments:
 - o California Family & Child Data
 - San Luis Obispo County Family & Child Data
 - Afternoon with Licensing
 - o Trauma Informed Care Training

COUNCIL MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS & PROGRAM UPDATES

Michelle Holm, Children Development Resource Center

- Discussed land use. Board of Supervisors willing to look at options from plans of new probation upgrade.
- New therapist already working on caseload.

Jamie Sanbonmatsu, Valley View Children's Center and CQEL

• Everything is going smoothly at the moment.

Jenn Kreps, SLO YMCA

- Everything is going smoothly at the moment.
- Annual support campaign, will send out flyer.
- Attachment:
 - o Site Events for Annual Support Campaign

Lisa Fraser, Center for Family Strengthening

- Center for Family Strengthening continues to provide kidz toolbox for personal safety since 1998 for early childhood education to second grade curriculum.
- ACES Aware Initiative.

Nancy Norton, SLOCOE Child Development Programs

- Fully staffed.
- Talking about enrollment for next year.

Lauren Thorne, San Luis Obispo County of Office of Education

• Mantle of Leadership retreat for past graduates at Rancho El Chorro Outdoor School.

Cherie Fields, San Luis Obispo County Public Health

- Healthy Families America focus on prenatal to age 3; evidence based home visiting program.
 Last core training in Healthy Families of America program. Program almost fully staffed; 15 staff total. Open positions include full time nurse and full time community health worker. Interviews are next Friday.
- Immunizations and Family Planning Services ongoing and available.

BALLOT VOTE: NEW MEMBER APPLICATION

Executive Committee recommends approval of the following new member applications: Michelle Balter and Cherie Fields. Ballot votes were submitted at our council meeting. Council staff has confirmed the acceptance of new council members, Michelle Balter and Cherie Fields, by consensus.

- Attachments:
 - Membership Applications

UPDATES

First 5 SLO Commission Update - Raechelle Bowlay

February Hands-On Hero: Kelsey Sullivan

- First 5 Special Meeting of the First 5 Commission: Strategic Planning Workshop is to be held on February 20, 2020 from 3:00 5:00 PM at SLO County Human Services Agency Red Room.
- Help Me Grow just hired a Coordinator and opened a Specialist position.
- MHSA 3x3 Developmental Screening program doing very well.

We Are the Care Update - Raechelle Bowlay

- We Are the Care Initiative has picked up a lot of publicity.
- Public Awareness Task Force
 - Will be working closely with us on 2020 Month of the Child Proclamations.
 - Next meeting: February 24, 2020 at 3:30 5 PM at Center for Family Strenghtening
- Cross-Sector Collaboration Task Force
 - o Creating of a Family-Friendly Workplace Toolkit.
 - o Next meeting: February 20, 2020 at 10:30 AM 12 PM at First 5 SLO County
- Local Government Engagement Task Force
 - Engaging with local planning commission and city and regional planners. Raechelle
 Bowlay and Shana Paulson recently met with the San Luis Obispo City Fire Department.
 - Next meeting: February 24, 2020 at 9:00 10:30 AM. Location TBD.

Legislative Update – Jamie Sanbonmatsu, CQEL

• Legislation is quiet at the moment. Not a lot happening at the moment.

Collaborative Child Care Study Update – Raechelle Bowlay

- Will be meeting next week. Draft of the proposal is circulating at the moment.
- Once proposal is complete there will be a Collaborative Child Care Study Advisory Board meeting.

COORDINATOR UPDATE – Raechelle Bowlay

- Attended the First 5 California Summit in Irvine February 3-5.
- Speakers attended: Erin Gruwell and Dr. Rosemarie Allen
- Met the Surgeon General of California, Nadine Burke Harris.
- Census 2020 Materials:
 - Census Kids Count Update (English & Spanish)
 - We Count; A 2020 Census Counting Book (English & Spanish)
- Available now: 2020 California Children's Report Card
- Communities of Practice Facilitator Training happened today.

QUALITY COUNTS UPDATE – Raechelle Bowlay

- Professional Development is currently going down.
- Enrollment is low. Looking at how we can work through the professional development opportunities.
- QCC Equitable Learning Opportunities Grant letter of intent is due March 1st and the application is due April 5th.
- Strengthening Families Train the Trainer Training will be on April 7-9 in Ventura. If anyone would like to attend let us know; there is 6 or 7 slots available for our county.

Motion to approve submitting a plan for the QCC Equitable Learning Opportunities Grant to support Multilingual Literacy, Child Developing Training for FFN, and Adult Child Interaction Training made by Nancy Norton, seconded by Mika Buchanan, approved unanimously.

MONTH OF THE CHILD/ CHILDREN'S DAY IN THE PLAZA

- Save the date: April 4, 2020
- Registration is open.
- Will be working closely with the We Are the Care Public Awareness task force on the 2020 Month of the Child Proclamations.

Motion to approve Council to support and explore of communities resource falls in various communities in expanding resources in child well bein made by Lisa Duncan-Purcell, seconded by Jamie Sanbonmatsu, approved unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 2:38 PM.

The next Council meeting will be held on March 4, 2020 from 9:00-11:00 AM at CAPSLO Child Care Resource Connection, 805A Fiero Lane, San Luis Obispo, CA.

Respectfully submitted,

Nataly Renteria, Administrative Assistant SLO County Child Care Planning Council