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Early Learning Council
Thursday, June 12, 2025
4:00 P.M. – 5:30 P.M.

Facilitator(s): Jenna Sanders
Timekeeper: TBD
Scribe: Petricia Wright

Location:	We will be meeting in person at 819 NE Third Street in McMinnville. If you are ill or otherwise unable to be in person, please join us on zoom here:
Dial-In:	https://zoom.us/j/95521367556 +1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma)
Attendees: * denotes absent	<p>Early Learning Council: Alejandra Marquez, Amanda Lamb, Amy Egli, Ann Stevenson, Amy Stephens, Alejandra Marquez, *DawnDee Walraven, Jenna Sanders, *Kelly Williams, Kourtney Ferrua, Lindsey Manfrin, Mindy Larson, Suey Linzmeier, *Tonya Hill, *Amanda Dallas, Dorie Vickery, Margaret (Peg) Miller M.D., Matthew Kintner, Odi Campos, *Tonya Coker</p> <p>YCCO Staff: Jennifer Laine, Maribel Dobbins, Shealyn Wippert, Sean Cavaghan, Julia Peralta, Petricia Wright, Larry Soderberg, Jeanne McCarty, Christine House</p>
Review Materials:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June ELC Agenda • May ELC Minutes • Early Learning Update • Executive Update • Draft Social Emotional Tool
Meeting Norms:	<p>CARE</p> <p>Courtesy: respecting time & each other Agenda: staying on topic Roles: taking responsibility, prepare by reviewing materials Evaluation: meeting the goal and following norms</p>

(A) Action (D) Decision, (I) Informational, (P) Presentation or Handout

Time	Topic(s)	Details / Notes / Action Items	Name
4:00 P.M. (5 mins.)	Welcome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome • Announcements- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Newberg Library's Level Up Summer program has different levels of activities that help parents interact with their kids. Contact Amanda Lamb at the Newberg Library for information and Self Kits. ○ Kourtney Ferrua shared her joyful 	Jenna Sanders

		<p>experience of attending the graduation of one of her former Kindergarten students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ CCR&R received BOLI's approval to decrease the apprenticeship wages and reduce the minimum age for participants. ○ Health and Human Services is hosting a resource fair on June 28th to showcase the programs offered by HHS. The location for the fair is in the parking lot of their new offices at the former Oregon Mutual Insurance building on Baker Street in McMinnville. ○ Kiwanis is hosting an auction to benefit its Kiwanis for Kids program on September 27th at the former Grand Ballroom. Contact Kiwanis for sponsoring opportunities. 	
4:05 PM (15 mins.)	Public Comment	None noted.	Jenna Sanders
4:20 PM (15 mins.)	Legislative Update	Not available currently.	
4:35 PM (15 mins.)	SE Metric Action Plan Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The CCO Quality Incentive Metric for behavioral health services for children ages 1 – 5 works on improving access to Behavioral Health services. • A flyer was created to help providers learn the referral process, and a training event is scheduled on October 10th for behavioral health providers, early educators, and home visitors. • Two committees have been formed to research ways to meet the metric for this year, and to develop clearer and more effective referral processes, as well as to help providers develop language and skills to talk with parents/caregivers about their child's social and emotional health. • The Behavioral Health and Quality Improvement Teams are partnered with Newberg Library to discuss the library can share behavioral health resources with parents. 	Jeanne McCarty Christine House
4:50 PM (35 mins.)	Executive Session	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voting members only. 	Jenna Sanders

5:25 P.M. (5 mins.)	Meeting Wrap-Up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reminders: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Captured Action Items <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ None were noted. • No ELC meeting in July. • Next meeting August 14 – fully remote. • For the Good of the Order <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ None were noted. 	All
5:30 P.M.	Adjourn	This meeting was adjourned at 4:45 PM. Respectfully submitted by Petricia Wright, Administrative Assistant	