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## Public Notice of Meeting of the

### Arizona Early Childhood Development and Health Board

#### Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council

Pursuant to A.R.S. §8-1194 (A) and A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the First Things First – Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board, Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council, and to the general public that the Regional Partnership Council will hold a **Regular Meeting open to the public on February 12, 2013, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at the Quality Inn Restaurant, Coral Room, 48 West Highway 264, Window Rock, Arizona 86515.** Some members of the Regional Partnership Council may elect to attend telephonically.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (1), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A) (2) and A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (3), the Regional Partnership Council may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the general public, to discuss personnel items, records exempt from public inspection and/or to obtain legal advice on any item on the agenda.

The Regional Partnership Council may hear items on the agenda out of order. The Regional Partnership Council may discuss, consider, or take action regarding any item on the agenda. The Regional Partnership Council may elect to solicit public comment on certain agenda items.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. **Call to Order/ Welcome/ Introductions** **Harry Martin, Chair**
  
2. **Call to the Public**  
*This is the time for the public to comment. Members of the Regional Partnership Council may not discuss or take legal action regarding matters that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.01 (H), action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism, or scheduling the matter for future consideration at a later date.*
  
3. **Discussion and Possible Approval of January 8, 2013 Regular Meeting Minutes** **Harry Martin, Chair**
  
4. **Presentation on Quality First Recruitment** **Barb Gordon, Program Manager,  
Association for Supportive Child Care  
Andy Romley, Community Impact  
Manager, Valley of the Sun United Way  
Shannon Reeths, Community Impact  
Manager, Valley of the Sun United Way**
  
5. **Review and Discussion of the 2012 Needs and Assets Draft Report** **Melissa Begay, Regional Director  
Dr. Michele Walsh, Associate Research  
Professor, University of Arizona Norton  
School  
Violeta Domínguez, Research Scientist,  
University of Arizona Norton School**
  
6. **Presentation and Discussion of February 7, 2013 Chairs Meeting** **Harry Martin, Chair  
Grace Boyne, Vice-Chair**
  
7. **Update on 2013 Grantee Renewal Process, RFGA Releases, and Government Agreements** **Melissa Begay, Regional Director**

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| <b>8. Community Outreach Coordinator Report</b>        | <b>Memarie Tsosie, Community Outreach Coordinator</b> |
| <b>9. Regional Director Report</b>                     | <b>Melissa Begay, Regional Director</b>               |
| <b>10. Regional Council Member Announcements</b>       | <b>Harry Martin, Chair</b>                            |
| <b>11. Next Meeting – March 12, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.</b> | <b>Harry Martin, Chair</b>                            |
| <b>12. Adjourn</b>                                     | <b>Harry Martin, Chair</b>                            |

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**Dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January 2013**

**ARIZONA EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH BOARD**

**Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council**



**Melissa Begay, Regional Director**