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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 May 19, 2010, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at Quality Inn Office Complex, Suite 107, 48 West Highway 264, Window Rock, AZ 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 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.

The Regional Council may hear items on the agenda out of order. The Regional 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.

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The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 1. Call to Order/Welcome/Introductions** **Dr. Paula Hale, Chair**
- 2. Discussion and Possible Approval of Meeting Minutes** **Dr. Paula Hale, Chair**
*A. *Minutes of the April 21, 2010 Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council Regular Session*
- 3. 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.
- 4. Quality First! Assessment Overview Presentation** **Barbara Gordon, Quality First Coordinator**
Cheryl Begay, Quality First Coach
Matilda Tacheene, Quality First Coach
- 5. Discussion and Possible Approval of SFY 2010 Regional Needs & Assets Data Collection Methodology** **Dr. Paula Hale, Chair**
Melissa Begay, Coordinator
- 6. Update and Discussion of FY2010 and FY2011 Strategies and Allocations** **Melissa Begay, Coordinator**
- 7. Discussion and Possible Approval of Funding Mechanism for Unregulated to Regulated Child Care Homes** **Melissa Begay, Coordinator**

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| 8. | First Things First Communication Plan
a. Implementation Plan
b. Discussion and Possible Approval of Parent Awareness and Community Outreach Liaison | Rhian Allvin, Executive Director |
| 9. | Arizona Early Childhood Task Force | Rhian Allvin, Executive Director |
| 10. | Legislative Update | Rhian Allvin, Executive Director |
| 11. | Family Fun Days | Melissa Begay, Coordinator |
| 12. | Discussion with First Things First Executive Director | Rhian Allvin, Executive Director |
| 13. | Regional Council Member Openings | Melissa Begay, Coordinator |
| 14. | Member Announcements | Dr. Paula Hale, Chair |
| 15. | Next Meeting – June 16 at 3:00 p.m. | Dr. Paula Hale, Chair |
| 16. | Adjourn | Dr. Paula Hale, Chair |

Dated this 10th day of May 2010

ARIZONA EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH BOARD

Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council

Melissa Begay

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