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## PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE Arizona Early Childhood Development and Health Board Cocopah Tribe 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, Cocopah Tribe Regional Partnership Council, and to the general public that the Cocopah Tribe Regional Partnership Council will hold a **Regular Meeting open to the public on Wednesday, August 7, 2013 at 3:00 p.m. at the Cocopah Community Center, 14251 South Centre Avenue, Somerton, Arizona 85350.** Some members of the Regional Partnership Council may elect to participate 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 public, to discuss personnel items, records exempt from public inspection and/or to obtain legal advice regarding any matter on this 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 meeting agenda is as follows:

1. **Call to Order** **Jill McCormick, Chair**
2. **Approval of July 3, 2013, Regional Partnership Council Meeting Minutes (Attachment 1)** **Jill McCormick, Chair**
3. **Introduction of New Cocopah Tribe Regional Director** **Gary P. Arnold, Sr. Regional Director**
4. **Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed FY2014 Cocopah Regional Partnership Council Meeting Schedule (Attachment 2)** **Jill McCormick, Chair**
5. **Early Steps Program Update** **Lupi Rojas, Early Steps Specialist  
Cocopah Indian Tribe - Early Steps Program**
6. **Continued Discussion on Healthy, Happy, Safe: Cocopah Tribe Regional Partnership Council's System Building (Attachment 3)** **Gary P. Arnold, Sr. Regional Director**
7. **Discussion and Possible Action on Second Read: Annual Review of Governance Policies (Attachment 4)** **Jill McCormick, Chair**
8. **Sr. Regional Director's Report** **Gary P. Arnold, Sr. Regional Director**
  - a. Financial Expenditures Report Update **(Attachment 5)**
  - b. Quarterly Data Report Update **(Attachment 6)**
  - c. Review of Planning Timeline **(Attachment 7)**
  - d. Update Regional Council Recruitment
  - e. Tribal Consultation: August 15, 2013
  - f. 2013 Summit: August 25-27, 2013

**9. Regional Partnership Council Member Announcements**

**Regional Partnership Council Members**

**10. Next Meeting**

September 4, 2013, 3:00 p.m.  
Cocopah Community Center  
14251 South Centre Avenue, Somerton, Arizona 85350

**Jill McCormick, Chair**

**11. Adjourn**

**Jill McCormick, Chair**

*A person with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter by contacting Marie Megui, Administrative Assistant III, at (928) 343-3020. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.*

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

**Cocopah Tribe Regional Partnership Council**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary P. Arnold". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent initial "G".

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**Gary P. Arnold, Sr. Regional Director**