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PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board Yuma 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, the Yuma Regional Partnership Council, and to the general public that the Yuma Regional Partnership Council will hold a **Regular Meeting open to the public on Thursday, August 16, 2012, at 4:30 pm at Antioquia Assembly of God Church, Fellowship Hall, 10409 Helen Street, Wellton, Arizona 85356.** 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 public, to discuss personnel items, records exempt from public inspection and/or to obtain legal advice regarding any item 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 agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. **Call to Order/Welcome/Introductions** **Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair**
2. **Declarations of Conflict of Interest** **Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair**
Members will address potential conflicts of interest regarding items on this agenda.
3. **Consent Agenda** **Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair**
All items on the agenda that are in *italics, underlined*, and marked with an asterisk (*) are consent matters and will be considered by a single motion with no discussion. All other items will be considered individually. Any matter on the consent agenda will be removed from the consent agenda and discussed upon the request of any Council member.
 - A. **Minutes of June 21, 2012 Yuma Regional Partnership Council Regular Meeting* (**Attachment 1a**)
 - B. **Minutes of June 21, 2012 Yuma Regional Partnership Council Executive Session Meeting* (**Attachment 1b**)
 - C. **Minutes of July 9, 2012 Yuma Regional Partnership Council Special Meeting* (**Attachment 1c**)
4. **Discussion and Possible Action on 2012 Regional Needs & Assets** **Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair**
(**Attachment 2**)
5. **Discussion and Possible Action on FY2013 Community Awareness Budget** **Gary P. Arnold, Senior Regional Director**
(**Attachment 3**) **Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director**
6. **Discussion and Possible Action on Quality First FY2013 Allotment** **Gary P. Arnold, Senior Regional Director**
(**Attachment 4**) **Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director**
7. **Discussion on Recruitment of Therapist** **Gary P. Arnold, Senior Regional Director**
Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director

8. Presentation by Easter Seals Blake Foundation

Nohemi Ortega, YPAT Supervisor

9. Regional Director's Report

**Gary P. Arnold, Senior Regional Director
Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director**

- A. Introduction New Regional Director
- B. Update on Pre K Slots
- C. Update on Community Based Training

10. Community Based Training Update

Gary P. Arnold, Senior Regional Director

11. Community Outreach Report

**Nena Garcia, Community Outreach
Coordinator**

- A. Update on Community Awareness Outreach
- B. Update on Site Tour
- C. Update on Speakers Training

12. Call to the Public

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

This is the time for the public to comment. Members of the 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 further consideration and decision at a later date. Public comments relative to a specific agenda item may be heard during the discussion of that item.

13. Announcements

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

14. Next Meeting

Thursday, September 20th 2012, 4:30p.m.
Yuma Main Library
2951 S. 21st Dr. Yuma, AZ 85364

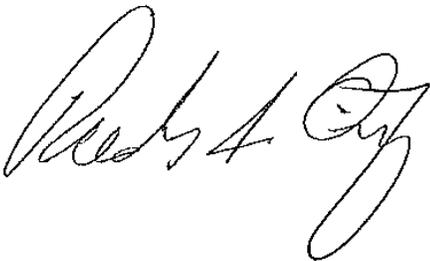
15. Adjourn

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

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Dated this 9th day of August 2012

**ARIZONA EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH BOARD
YUMA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL**



Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director