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Navajo/Apache Regional Coordinator's Report

August 12, 2009

Membership

Leslie Meyer, Executive Director of the United Way of Northeastern Arizona Advisory Council has applied to become a member of this Council. She will be recommended for approval at the August 25, 2009 First Things First Board Meeting.

- The regional coordinator, Kate Dobler-Allen, has made the following presentations/visits around the region in July/August 2009:

Navajo County Community Network Team	July 2, 2009
Kate on leave	July 3-6, 2009
Alpine Schools – Mike Cox	July 8, 2009
RPC Meeting	July 8, 2009
Regional Training	July 10-11, 2009
Apache County Youth Council – Springerville	July 15, 2009
CPS All-providers meeting – Show Low	July 16, 2009
NAU Early Childhood Class Presentation	July 21, 2009
Kate on leave	July 23-27, 2009
TEACH web-based training	July 29, 2009
Apache County Health District Community Forum	August 4, 2009
Healthy Steps Training	August 5, 2009
FTF Internal Communications Workgroup Meeting	August 5, 2009
Kate on leave	August 6-11, 2009
RPC Meeting	August 12, 2009
August Board-book deadline	August 12, 2009

- The following are planned for August/September 2009:

White Mountain Women's Club Meeting	August 13, 2009
Navapache Regional Foundation Presentation	August 19, 2009
Apache County Youth Council – St. John's	August 19, 2009
FTF Grantee Orientation Meeting	August 19, 2009
MAPP Meeting	August 20, 2009
United Way Summit Society Reception	August 22, 2009
FTF Board meeting via telephone	August 25, 2009

Contract Begin Date, Round II RFGA's	September 1, 2009
Navajo County Community Network Team	September 3, 2009
National Children's Study Meeting with Dr. Garcia, Dr. Kemp	September 4, 2009
RPC Meeting	September 9, 2009
FTF Chairs and Vice-chairs Meeting	September 10, 2009
Regional Training	September 11, 2009
NPC District Governing Board Meeting	September 15, 2009
Apache County Youth Council – RV	September 16, 2009
FTF Board Meeting	September 22, 2009
NPC Early Childhood Advisory Council	September 29, 2009

- The following have been requested:
 - Show Low Chamber of Commerce
 - Pinetop-Lakeside Chamber of Commerce
 - Navajo and Apache County Boards of Supervisors
 - Springerville Rotary Club
 - Show Low Lions Club

Council Member

Suggestions: _____

First Things First Statewide Chairs Meeting

September 10, 2009 from 10:00am – 3:30pm, at the ASU Mercado Center in downtown Phoenix.

On-going Community Project Involvement

- **MAPP** project through Navajo County Public Health – county wide community assessment
- **Navajo County Safe Kids Chapter** – beginning group to focus on safety needs and issues for our county's youngest kids. Facilitated by Amy Stradling, Navajo County Public Health, and Kirk Webb.

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