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PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE

Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board

Navajo/Apache Regional Partnership Council Meeting

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/Apache Regional Partnership Council, and to the general public that the Regional Council will hold a **regular meeting open to the public on Wednesday, December 8, 2010, beginning at 3:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at Little Colorado Behavioral Health Center, 470 West Cleveland, St. Johns, Arizona 85936.** Some members of the Regional 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 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 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 Council may elect to solicit public comment on certain agenda items.

A person with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter by contacting Kate Dobler-Allen, Regional Coordinator for the Navajo/Apache Regional Partnership Council, First Things First, 4700 West White Mountain Boulevard, Suite B1, Lakeside, Arizona 85929, telephone 928-532-5041. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

The meeting agenda is as follows:

- 1. Welcome/Introductions/Call to Order** **Dr. Thomas Barela, Chair**
- 2. Member Report and Updates** **Regional Council Members**
- 3. Call to the Public** **Dr. Thomas Barela, Chair**
This is the time for the public to comment. Members of the Regional 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 at a later date.
- 4. Disclosure of Conflicts** **Regional Council Members**
- 5. Discussion and Possible Adoption of November 10, 2010 Regular Meeting Minutes (Attachment #1)** **Dr. Thomas Barela, Chair**

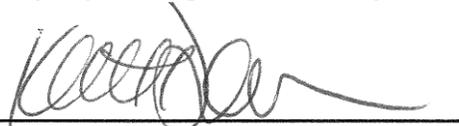
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| 6. | Regional Coordinator's Report
a. Monthly Report (Attachment #2)
b. Navajo/Apache Regional Partnership Council
Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Operational Plan Update (Attachment #3)
c. Community Outreach Liaison Update (Attachment #4) | Kate Dobler-Allen, Regional Coordinator

Michelle Pansulla, Outreach Liaison |
| 7. | Adoption of 2011 Calendar of Regional Council Meetings | Dr. Thomas Barela, Chair |
| 8. | Presentation, Discussion and Possible Adoption of Home Visiting Strategy Changes for Fiscal Year 2011 | Kate Dobler-Allen, Regional Coordinator |
| 9. | Discussion of Potential Barriers to Utilization of Professional Development Supports in the Navajo/Apache Region | Kate Dobler-Allen, Regional Coordinator
Claude Endfield, Member |
| 10. | Discussion and Possible Adoption of Fiscal Year 2012 Funding Plan
<i>Each item will require specific action to adopt.</i>
A. Proposed New Strategies for Fiscal Year 2012
1. Kindergarten Transition
2. Professional REWARD\$
3. Community Capacity Building
B. Continuing Strategies
1. Community-based Training
2. Early Childhood Education/Early Childhood Development Scholarship (ECE/ECD)
3. T.E.A.C.H. Arizona
4. Lab School
5. Professional Career Pathway Project (PCPP)
6. Director Mentoring
7. Employer-sponsored Child Care
8. Child Care Scholarships
9. Child Care Health Consultant
10. Oral Health and Dental Varnish
11. Healthy Steps
12. Nutrition Education
13. Community-based Early Literacy (Libraries)
14. Early Literacy – Reach Out and Read
15. Home Visiting
16. Communications | Kate Dobler-Allen, Regional Coordinator |
| 11. | Adjourn | Dr. Thomas Barela, Chair |

Dated this 30th day of November 2010

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Kate Dobler-Allen, Regional Coordinator

Posted this 1st day of December 2010 by 5:00 p.m.