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# PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE

## Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board

## Northwest Maricopa 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, Northwest Maricopa Regional Partnership Council members, and to the general public that the Council will hold a ***Regular Meeting open to the public on Friday, March 21, 2014, at the City of Peoria Community Center, 8335 W Jefferson, Peoria, AZ 85345.*** Some members of the 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 general public, to discuss personnel items, records exempt from public inspection and/or to obtain legal advice.*

*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. **Welcome, Introductions, and Call to Order** — **Dr. Debbie Pischke, Chair**

2. **Call to the Public** — **Dr. Debbie Pischke, 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.*

3. **Review and Approval of February 21, 2014 Meeting Minutes** — **Dr. Debbie Pischke, Chair**
***(Attachment 1)***

4. **Discussion with Community Outreach** — **Marlene Hanan, Community Outreach Coordinator**
***(Attachment2)***

5. **Review of Grantee Data and Financial Reports** — **Dr. Debbie Pischke, Chair**
***(Attachments 3 & 4)***

6. **Discussions on Regional Area Forum** — **Council Members**

7. **Director's Update** — **Christina Lyons, Regional Director**
    a. **Wickenburg Educational Town Hall**
    b. **SFY15 Grant Agreements and Renewals Update and Timeline** ***(Attachment 5)***
    c. **Cradle to Crayons Presentation**
    d. **Benchmarking Update**
    e. **Service Coordination Strategy (Family Resource Network) Update** ***(Attachment 6)***
    f. **Council Member Recruitment Update**

8. **Council Member Updates and Announcements** — **Council Members**
***(Attachment 7)***

9. **Adjourn** — **Dr. Debbie Pischke, Chair**

*A person with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter by contacting Christina Lyons, Northwest Maricopa Regional Director, Arizona Early Childhood Development and Health Board, 14050 N 83rd Ave, Suite A-140, Peoria, AZ 85381 telephone (602) 771-4960. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.*

**Dated this 13th day of March, 2014.**

**ARIZONA EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH BOARD**

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**Christina Lyons, Regional Director**