

Early Learning Hub of Clackamas County Governance Council

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Time	Topic	Facilitator/Presenter
8:30 – 8:45am	 Welcome! • Introductions • Who are you grateful for? Looking at everyone on the call today, what gratitude or thanks can you give for an individual or a represented program joining our call this morning? 	Denise Glascock
8:45am – 8:50am	New Application, Brett Walker • Vote Needed for Membership	Denise Glascock
8:50 – 8:55am	New Application, Jeanne Savage • Application Attached	Denise Glascock- note that this was tabled as Jeanne was unable to attend and the council has not been able to talk with her yet.
8:55 – 9:10am	Welcome Our New Hub Director Dani! Preschool Promise, Current Enrollment Update Preschool Promise, Marketing & Outreach	Chelsea Hamilton Adam Freer Adam made a motion to approve moving forward in exploring the funding of a lobbyist- with the details to be hashed out in the future; waiting for a statement regarding the mission/purpose. Do we have general support? The motion was changed to just further exploration of United Hub directors. Amy Corbett seconded. Seth was the only abstain. No further discussion. Universal pass. Kari mentioned that we need to develop a strategy that's interfaced with policy makers to expand on

		newspaper (a multi-tiered strategy). Advocating for a lobbyist is just one layer.
		WashCo and MultCo hubs arranged meeting with hub directors and parents to facilitate the development of a robust strategy.
9:10 – 9:30am	Overview, All Ready: Kindergarten Readiness Framework	Kari Lyons, Health Share
		All Ready Network exists in Health Share and is part of a program to address housing, early life health and other health conditions and disparities in our communities.
		Regional Kindy Readiness group was formed to look at the buckets of work to achieve systems that are redesigned so that race, class and ability are no longer predictors of kindergarten readiness. They looked at data and metrics, mapped the federal, state, regional and local funding and asked, "how do we create culturally excellent services?"
		The goal is to NOT recreate racist systems.
		They developed a shared definition of Kindy readiness: the pillars are the child & the family/caregiver, and the learning environment and the community.
		There are about 60 attendees across 5 workgroups. The goal was to get a shared framework for what's need for kindergarten success

9:30am – 9:45am	Kindergarten Partnerships Innovations (KPI) Updates & Programs OCSD	Anti racism and trauma informed work group started to identify definitions and tools for putting antiracism work together. Candice Henkin
		Not present
9:45 - 10:00am	New Year, New Commitment Possible Workgroups starting in 2021 (equity, mission/vision, membership, etc.) Discuss council norms around participation	Chelsea Hamilton Denise Glascock Kim shared her excitement about the work groups. She's interested in county home visiting and thinks the council is a good place to come to for advice and coordination. Amy shared "response to COVID for families," what're the disproportional impacts and how're we responding? It might be good to have some experts on these topics on the committee instead of just council members. Adam wanted to note that the vision/mission statement needs to provide guidance. We're in a space that we can be critical and concrete in defining what the role of the hub is. We can use that to inform some of the lobbying that could be done. We should clarify what we think it should be and what it absolutely wouldn't be. There is also an expectation that we need to reapply and also, to consider a plan B because we are not fully dictated by the state- so, what does that mean? And, who are we as
		Rod suggested a legislative work group.

Seth asked for a data review work group- especially related to equity. We should have a general sense and also make time to do a deep dive, particularly into the Latinx community. Lennie had asked if there was already a home visiting committee, which there was but Denise mentioned it fizzled out. Kim clarified that she wants a "systems" work group and less of a "project" work group like the previous group had been. Chelsea asked us how we allocate work load. Peg suggested we base our work off what other counties are doing. Dani wants to know how we should structure goals/time feedback/timeframes Are there county-specific groups that we NEED and other ones we can build on our connections with other counties? Kim suggested that there should be an equity lens applied to all groups rather than a specific equity group Seth reiterated that the work is already out there and we need to review that before we create new sub groups

		Lennie suggested that for white people specifically, there needs to be a deeper dive into the equity work group.
		Merry suggested a meeting to review the current information, and then in a follow up meeting establish goals
10:00 - 10:15am	Community Updates & Adjourn ■ Next meeting via Zoom, December 10, 2020 @ 8:30am	Council Members Denise Glascock
		Peg shared the Health Share signing with Connect Oregon as a way of connecting individual with social services and tracking outcomes, identifying gaps, etc. There's a lot of momentum between connecting health services to the community Health share also launched a children's health advisory committee.
		Lennie noted that if we can lower the COVID cases, GTP might consider going to hybrid but at the current rate, the best we can do is some deep planning about what it would take to re-enter.