



AGENDA

Region 50 Family Council Meeting

Location: 1000 S Illinois Street, Belleville, IL 62220

Date & Time: March 2, 2023, 6:00pm-8:00pm

I. Welcome, Introductions & Review of Community Agreement

Facilitator(s): Stephanie Herling, Shameka Brown, Madeline Graham

- Welcome to our newest member, 3-week-old Charlotte, to the family.

Next Steps:

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II. Ice Breaker

Facilitator(s): Shameka Brown

- Family Council members discussed one-way members provide self-care as a parent.

Next Steps:

- Each Council member is encouraged to take one self-care moment in the next week.

III. Priority Population (30 min)

Facilitator(s): Shameka Brown with Stephanie Herling

- Council members and Region 50 staff reviewed priority populations set by the Early Learning Council.

Next Steps:

- Birth to Five staff will create a document that shares resources that families can access, and share with others, around these priority populations.

IV. Small Group Discussion around Priority Populations (50 min)

Facilitator(s): Shameka Brown

- Discussion around the importance of awareness of and services for families facing these disparities.

Next Steps:

- Council members continue to share resources they have used to help develop a resource toolkit for families in St. Clair County.



V. Questions, Updates, and Closing

- Council members were asked to share one thought to wrap up today's session.
- Information for the upcoming Early Childhood Community Fair in Madison County was shared with families.