



MEETING NOTES

Region 12 Family Council Meeting

Location: Virtual

Date & Time: Monday, August 21st, 2023 4:30pm

Council Members present: Mindy Evans, April Walls, Whisper Shick
Council Members absent: Sara Farmer, Sarah Adams, Sandra Hyde, Emily Gullett, Brandi Foster

4:30pm Welcome and Ice Breaker (7 minutes)

Notes: This or That Ice Breaker.

Review of agenda.

Decisions made: NA

Next Steps: NA

4:37pm Regional Needs Assessment Dissemination Updates (8 minutes)

Notes: Discussed methods of gathering feedback.

Feedback has been generally positive.

Councils will begin action planning in October.

Next year's focus will be mental health.

Decisions made: NA

Next Steps: Continue to solicit feedback for addendum.

4:45 Recommendations (30 minutes)

Notes: Council supported current recommendations and reiterated importance of special education, specialized training, and improved specialized services.

Decisions made: NA

Next Steps: NA

5:15 Family Council Additions (8 minutes)

Notes: Several new members to be added to Family Council.

Discussed opportunities for Family Council members to step into leadership roles.

Decisions made: NA

Next Steps: Orientation of new members to take place before next meeting.



Follow-up/Next Steps: Next Meeting is September 11, 2023, 4:30pm