



MEETING NOTES

Region 28 Action Council Meeting

Date: November 1, 2023

Facilitators: Dianna Saelens (Reginal Council Manager), Samantha Piske (Family & Community Engagement), Quinn Trader (Administrative & Data Specialist)

Action Council Members: Audrey Aden, Amanda Brown, Tina Hernblom, Kelly Kessel, Michael Levis, Tayler Louscher, Jocelyn Salazar, Lindsey Woerle, Ruth Yarian, & Angie Zarvell

Start Time: 2:30

Welcome & Introductions

- Introductions of Birth to Five Staff and Action Council Members.

FY 24 Action Plan

- Review of Regional Recommendations:
 - Implement state level systems that actively and routinely seek parent/caregiver input about barriers that exist and exclude participation in current programming.
 - Develop community-level collaborations to enhance service offerings.
 - Improve agency-level marketing strategies to ensure families within all communities are aware of available services.
- Discussion of Drafted Action Steps.
- Workgroup Updates:
 - Visit to Collaborative Preschool For All (PFA) and Teacher Preparation program models.

End Time: 4:00

Next Meeting: November 15th at 2:30