



Action Council Meeting

Date: November 2, 2023.

Time: 10:00am – 12:00pm.

Attendees

Council members present: Karen House, James Keith, Megan Broderick, Megan Meyrick, Amy Steck, Jacquelynn Rose, Brenda Eastham, Michelle Witherspoon, Tamara Doyle, Jeff Dase.

Guests: Kathy Williams, Richelle Dunbar, Carlotta Witherspoon-Taylor, LeAnn Ellis.

Agenda

1. Introductions (10:00am 10:10am).
Facilitators (s): Heather Seitz, Kim Dye, Christina Pyles.
2. Community Agreements (10:10am).
3. State Update (10:20am).
 - a. Investment for 2024.
 - b. ISBE grant coming out in January.
4. Workgroup Update (11:15).
5. Guest Introductions (11:30).
 - a. Leann Ellis – Dove Neighborhood Services Coordinator.
 - b. Kathy Williams – CONO.
 - c. Carlotta Witherspoon- Taylor – World Service Enterprise Organization.
 - d. Richelle Dunbar – City of Decatur Assistant Director of Economic and Community Development.
6. Resource Discussion.
7. Questions & Comments.

Meeting ends: 12:00pm.

Before next meeting...

Next meeting: (No December Meeting). Wednesday January 10, 2023, 10:00am – 12:00pm Empowerment Center.

Workgroups: Workgroup 1- Creating a crisis nursery: November 16th at 11am.

Workgroup 2- Increasing awareness: November 21st at 11am.

Workgroup 3- Increasing Professional Development for ECE staff: November 21st at 1pm.