



## Early Childhood Advisory Council Meeting

August 19, 2021, immediately following the SCFS Board of Trustees Meeting  
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Minutes

### **Members Present (16):**

Dave Morley, Chair  
Dr. Shelley Canright  
Sen. Greg Hembree  
Rep. Rita Allison  
Rep. Jerry Govan  
Dr. David Mathis  
Sue Williams  
Michael Leach

Dr. Edward Simmer  
Walter Fleming  
Tim Holt  
Jennifer McConnell  
Dr. Amy Williams  
Jesica Mackey  
John Hayes  
Nicole Wynkoop

### **Members Absent (7):**

Sen. Gerald Malloy  
Robert Kerr  
Constance Holloway  
Alexia Newman  
Roger Pryor  
Janie Neeley  
Mary Lynne Diggs

### **Others Present (66)**

Georgia Mjartan  
Abby Thorman  
A Brewton  
Adrienne Troy Frazier  
Aleisha Butler  
Amy Engle  
Ariel Gilreath  
Audrey McClary  
Avian Jones  
Barbara Manoski  
Berry Kelly  
Beth Moore  
Betty Gardiner  
Betty Washington  
Bill Potapchuk  
Blaire Van Dyne  
Carletta Isreal  
Chastine Dickey  
Chelsea Richard  
Cheryl Scales-Chavis  
Christy Stanton  
Cindy Ellis  
Cindy Galloway  
Crystal Campbell

Delores Rock  
Derek Cromwell  
Diana Cadena  
Dione Brabham  
Dorian Young  
Dorina Foster  
Dorothy Priester  
Gina Beebe  
Janice Kilburn  
Jared Busker  
Jennifer Williams  
Jenny May  
Jon Artz  
Joy Mazur  
Justina Siuba  
Karen Oliver  
Kate Roach  
Kathy Fitzgerald  
Katrina Bost  
Kerry Cordan  
Kim Trudell  
Kristine Jenkins  
Laura Baker  
Lis Guimaraes

Lavinia Tejada  
Marie Stewart  
Mark Barnes  
Mary Beth Testa  
Pierce McNair  
Rachal Hatton  
Reginald Williams  
Rogers Pender  
Rosemarie West  
Ryan Shinn  
Sally Cauthen  
Shayla Pettigrew  
Shelia Cornwell  
Stacy Greenwalt  
Tammy Hutcherson  
Tiffany Outlaw  
Valerie Johnson  
Willa Wingate

Mr. Morley called the ECAC meeting to order at 3:14 p.m.



Mr. Morley asked for a motion to adopt the agenda. Rep. Govan provided the motion. Dr. Simmer provided a second and the motion was unanimously approved.

Mr. Morley asked for a motion to approve the June 17, 2021 minutes. Dr. Canright provided the motion. Dr. Simmer provided the second and the motion was unanimously approved.

Jusitna Siuba, the ECAC Data Governance Coordinator reported on the SC Early Childhood Integrated Data System.

Mr. Holt provided a motion to adopt the following Key Questions for the South Carolina Early Childhood Integrated Data System:

- a. What early childhood programs, statewide, are available for eligible young children?
- b. How many young children are there?
- c. How many young children are eligible for early childhood programs?
- d. How many young children are enrolled in early childhood programs?
- e. Are those enrolled in early childhood programs on track to succeed?
- f. What is the return on investment for early childhood programs?

Dr. Simmer seconded the motion and it was approved unanimously.

Bill Potapchuk of Community Building Institute presented the working draft of the South Carolina Birth through Five Plan and provided an opportunity for the board to ask questions and make suggestions. The final plan will be presented in October for board approval.

Mr. Morley asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Canright provided the motion. Dr. Simmer provided a second and the motion was unanimously approved.

The meeting was adjourned by Mr. Morley at 3:36 p.m.