

Vision: Every child will have access to quality services empowering them to be healthy and successful.

Linn County Early Childhood Iowa Governance Board

Feb 23, 2021 at 3:15-4:30 pm

Per Iowa Code section 21.8 an electronic meeting can be held when there are valid concerns that an in-person meeting is "impossible or impractical" (e.g. COVID19).

Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83727233917?pwd=WU5NcXBvUGVYNHFZVEFNSENDRUxQZz09>

Meeting ID: 837 2723 3917

Passcode: 231867

Tentative Agenda

Welcome and Check In Question

On Screen

Call to Order, Confirm Quorum (___# present) **Updates & Check In:**

- a. In-Person Services Summary
- b. Linn Co Board of Supervisors Legislative Priorities
- c. Impactful Data Source from Richard Barrett:

<https://www.epi.org/child-care-costs-in-the-united-states/#/IA>

Tricia Kitzmann & Staff
In Packet
In Packet
Check it Out

Public Comment (Insert Name, Agency, Comment in Chat Box):

In Chat Box

Action- Minutes of 1/26/21 Board Meeting:

Tricia Kitzmann

Board Operations:

- a. State ECI FY 20 Annual Report (Our CART quoted in State report!)
<https://earlychildhood.iowa.gov/document/eci-2020-annual-report>
- b. **Action:** Requests for Additional FY 21 ECI Funds and Next Steps
 - o *Joint Executive and Finance Committee Discussion*
- c. Invite Nominations from Board Members
- d. ECI SWOT Analysis- Survey Monkey Responses due 3.2.21

Chris Kivett-Berry
Chris & Committee
Tricia and Chris
Kristen Peyton

Committee Updates:

- a. Child Care Provider Solutions Team
- b. Business & Child Care Solutions Team

Jasmine, Chris, Kristen
Andrea, Amy, or Karen

Program Engagement:

- a. 2nd Quarter Program Data Snapshot
- b. FY 20 ECI Funded Program Customer Demographic Data
- c. Updated Tool O: See What Programs are Required to Collect
- d. FY 21 Success Stories
 - *Parent Ed Consortium- Take and Make Kits*
 - *YPN In-Home Program- Activity kits (photos)*

Kristen Peyton
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Chris Kivett-Berry
Morgan Bryant
Meridith Myers

Community Engagement:

- 3-4 pm, Feb 26th Metro Economic Alliance Business Panel
<https://www.cedarrapids.org/business-resources/public-policy>

Chris Kivett-Berry

Open Agenda:

Action- Motion to Adjourn:
