STATE EARLY CHILDHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL
Thursday, September 21, 2017
1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Maryland State Department of Education
Conference Room 6, 8th Floor

Agenda

- Welcome/Introduction of Members – Dr. Karen Salmon, State Superintendent of Schools, Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE)

- Announcements
  - Family Engagement Coalition – Dorothy Stoltz, Director of Community Engagement Carroll County Public Library and Steven Hicks, Executive Director, Ready at Five

- Old Business
  - Universal Pre-K Workgroup and ESSA updates – Judy Walker, Early Learning Branch Chief, Division of Early Childhood Development, MSDE

- New Business
  - Child Care Development Fund Pre-Print – Liz Kelley, Acting Assistant State Superintendent, DECD, MSDE
  - Maryland Children’s Cabinet Three-Year Plan – Liz Kelley

- ECAC Function and Future Directions
  - Review of ECAC Bylaws - Liz Kelley
  - Review of accomplishments, recommendations and tasks – Cyndi La Marca Lessner, Collaboration and Program Improvement Branch Chief, DECD, MSDE
  - Future directions
    - ECAC role: Establishing priorities and committees or task force groups
  - Meeting format and content
    - Full day or part day meetings or combination?
    - What type of work are we doing for each meeting?

- Adjournment