

AGENDA

Wednesday, August 21, 2024 - Virtual

Chair – Dr. Carey M. Wright, State Superintendent of Schools

Current Designee – Dr. Shayna Cook, Assistant State Superintendent of Division of Early Childhood

10:00 – 10:10

Welcome, Announcement, and Introduction

- Designated Chair - Dr. Shayna Cook, Assistant State Superintendent of Division of Early Childhood Division

10:10 – 10:30

Old Business - Updates - Presentation

- Division of Early Childhood Updates
 - o Child Care Development Fund State Plan
 - o Blueprint for Maryland's Future
 - o Early Learning Standards
 - o Maryland Rebuilds

10:30 – 11:30

New Business - Statue and Bylaws - Breakout Sessions

- Rebranding the ECAC to Regain Community and Stakeholder Interest
 - o Identify strategies to rebrand the ECAC
- Developing a Communication Plan for the ECAC
 - o Identify strategies for effective communication between the ECAC, MSDE, and the early childhood community

11:30 – 11:40

Break

11:40 – 11:50

Reporting Out

11:55 – 12:00

Next Steps and Announcements

- MSDE Strategic Plan
- Early Childhood Research Advisory Group and Early Childhood Advisory Council Collaboration
- Sub-Committees/Task Forces/Workgroups or Ad Hoc Committees
- Developing an MOU between State ECAC and Local ECACs

12:00

Adjournment of Council