

Louisiana Department of Education (LDOE)
Early Childhood Care and Education Commission (ECCEC)

Wednesday, October 3, 2018

Minutes – Unofficial

The October 3, 2018 meeting of the Early Childhood Care and Education Commission was called to order at 12:15 P.M. Members present were: Jessica Baghian, Maria Blanco, Dr. Cade Brumley, Dr. Michelle Fazio-Brunson, Laurie Carlton, Dr. Susannah Craig, Dr. Cynthia DiCarlo, Dr. Gina Easterly, Dr. Linda Flynn, Melissa Goudeu, Rep. Stephanie Hilferty, Buddy Leach, Dr. Keith Leger, Sen. Beth Mizell, Stacey Neal, Brigitte Nieland, Dr. Keith Perrin, Monique Rouege, Cindy Rushing, Brenda Sharp, Dr. Susan Spring, Michael Tipton, Kahree Wahid, and Alan Young. Allison Trigg served as a proxy for Dr. Charles Zeanah and Latrice LaCour served as a proxy for Toni Buxton.

Representing the Louisiana Department of Education was Jessica Baghian and Kaye Eichler.

The meeting was called to order by Rep. Stephanie Hilferty at 12:16 p.m.

Rep. Hilferty requested a motion to approve the minutes of the August 1, 2018 meeting of the Early Childhood Care and Education Commission (ECCEC).

- 1 On motion of Mr. Young, and seconded by Ms. Blanco, the ECCEC approved the minutes of the August 1, 2018 meeting of the Early Childhood Care and Education Commission (ECCEC).

Kaye Eichler provided a report on current and future early childhood governance in Louisiana.

- 2 On motion of Ms. Blanco, and seconded by Mr. Tipton, the ECCEC received the report on current and future early childhood governance in Louisiana.

Karen Ponder provided information regarding lessons of local early childhood governance from other states.

- 3 On motion of Ms. Blanco, and seconded by Mr. Tipton, the ECCEC received the report regarding lessons of local early childhood governance from other states.

- 4 With no further business to come before the ECCEC, the October 3, 2018 meeting of the ECCEC was adjourned at 2:07 P.M.