

Mayor's Commission for Children February Mtg Minutes
Springfield Chamber of Commerce James Anderson Room
February 8th 2022

Commission members present: Dr. Elizabeth Andrews, Christy Davis, Dr. Kaleen Long, Jennifer McClure, Monica Horton, Chris Jarratt, Gerry Lee

Commission members absent: Amy Chenoweth, Brandy Harris

Advisory Council present: Dr. Doug McNeal, Alexis Brown, Carol Wooten, John Chastain, Dr. Jennifer Baker,

Guest: Dr. Carla De Silva, Springfield Public Schools.

Christy Davis opened the meeting at 8:02. Dr. Andrews made a motion to accept minutes as written. Chris Jarratt seconded that motion. Minutes approved.

Christy introduced the Analytics Director from Springfield Public Schools who shared the most recent data from the state. She also covered where Springfield R-12 is at in regards to achievement levels to state levels. The document was shared with all members and can be found on Springfield Public Schools website.

Brigitte shared information regarding PAT advisory Council meeting. Updates on Family Connect with Jeff Quinn no longer with the program.

Small group is working on getting costs/business plan to share regarding cost of implementing Family Connect in Springfield.

Dr. Baker shared the Training Camp info regarding Good Dads program.

Dr. McNeal referenced the WSJ article on Pre-K

Next meeting on March 8th will be with Springfield Public Schools counseling program updates.