

Mayor's Commission for Children Minutes

February 14th, 2023 8 am

Springfield Chamber of Commerce

Commission members present: Dr. Elizabeth Andrews, Mike White, Amy Chenoweth, Dr. Tom Masterson, Brandy Harris

Advisory Council present: Alexis Brown, Bria Coale, Dr. Jennifer Baker

Dr. Kristen Thompson, Kimberly Shinn-Brown, Jhasmine Watson, Carol Wooten, Dr. Doug McNeal, Dr. Kayce Morton, Danielle Kincaid

Guests: Ashley French, Family Connects JVHC, Steven Hall, Denise Fredrick-SPS

Brandy Harris, chairman opened the meeting up at 9:02 with a call to approve and accept previous meeting minutes. Mike White made a motion to accept. Dr. Andrews seconded that motion.

Brandy introduced our new Springfield Public School liaison, Danielle Kincaid. Ashley French introduced herself to the group and gave an update on Family Connects

Stephen Hall did a informational overview of all of the elements of the bond issue. Election is April 4th.

The ballot proposed is extending the debt levy by four years to fund the second phase of the recommendations by the community group. Security measures at all schools will be installed and Reed and Pipkin will be renovated similar to new Jarrett. Pershing is also on the slate for improvements.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00. Next meeting will be at the Chamber March 21st at 8 am.