

Children's Council Meeting Minutes  
April 10, 2023

<b>Council Member</b>	<b>Appointed Council Member or Alternate</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Present</b>
Alejandre, Melissa	Alternate	Family and Children Services	Program Manager	X
Applegate, Michael	Alternate	CSU Monterey Bay	Director	X
Arreola, Jose	Member	Community Alliance for Safety and Peace	Director	X
Askew, Wendy	Member	District #4	Supervisor	
Astengo, Berenice	Alternate	Monterey County Free Libraries	Managing Librarian	
Baldwin, Dan	Member	Community Foundation for Monterey Co.	President/CEO	
Bhardwaj, Jaskiart "Jessica"	Alternate	City of Salinas		
Boykin, Zulieka	Member	Housing Authority	Executive Director	X
Burns, Dan	Member	Salinas Union school District	Superintendent	
Butler, Ashley	Alternate	Public Defender Office	Public Defender	X
Castagna, Katy	Member	United Way Monterey County	President and CEO	X
Chapman, Susan	Member	Public Defender Office	Public Defender	
Cutino, Annette	Alternate	County Counsel	Deputy County Counsel	
DaSilva, Charles	Alternate	Monterey County Sheriff's Office	Program Manager-Monterey County Jail	X
Dunn, Laura	Member	Child Care Planning Council	Chair	
Eckert, Katy	Member	Behavioral Health	Director	
Franks, Roderick	Alternate	Department of Social Services		X
Girard, Les	Member	County Counsel	County Counsel	
Guss, Deneen	Member	Monterey County Office of Education	Superintendent	X

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Jimenez, Elsa	Member	Monterey County Health Department	Director of Health	X
Keating, Todd	Member	Probation	Chief	
Lal	Monica	Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce	President/CEO	
Lavorato, Sam Jr.	Member	Superior Court, Juvenile Justice Division	Judge	
Lee-Alexander, Laurel	Alternate	Community Foundation for Monterey County	Vice President Community Impact	
Luzader, Lori	Member	Special Kids Connect	Executive Director	
Madfis, Josh	Alternate	United Way Monterey County	Vice President Community Investments	
McCrae, Robin	Member	Community Human Services	Executive Director	
Medina, Lori	Member	Department of Social Services	Director	X
Mendez, Marisol	Alternate	Monterey County District Office	Assistant District Attorney	X
Moon, Jessica	Alternate	CHOMP-Ohana	Director of Operations	X
Mora, Eric	Alternate	District #4	Policy Analyst	X
Moreno, Dr. Edward	Alternate	Monterey County Health Department	Health Officer & Director of Public Health	
Nieto, Tina	Member	Monterey County Sheriff's Office	Sheriff	
Netniss, Jennifer	Alternate	Special Kids Connect	Education Director	X
Quinones, Vanya	Member	CSU Monterey Bay	President	
Pacioni, Jeannine	Member	Monterey County District Attorney Office	District Attorney	
Pierce, Virginia R.	Member	CAPC	Director	
Ramirez, Jose	Alternate	Probation Department	Assistant Chief	X

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Reeves-Fortney, Beth	Alternate	First 5 of Monterey County	Director of Programs	X
Rodd, Francine	Member	First 5 of Monterey County	Executive Director	
Sandoval, Marni	Alternate	Behavioral Health	Director	X
Southard, Doug	Member	Department of Family and Children Services	Deputy Director	X
Stonebloom, Daniel	Alternate	Lagunita Elementary School District	Superintendent	
Swick, Susan	Member	Ohana Montage Health	VP/Chief Mental Health Officer	
Theyer, Hillary	Member	Monterey County Free Libraries	Director	X
Uccelli, Gina	Member	Washington Union School District	Superintendent	X
Bangs, Randy	Alternate	Soledad School District	Superintendent	
Vela, Ernesto	Alternate	MCOE	Director	
Whilden, Heidi	Alternate	Superior Court, Juvenile Division	Judge	
Wouden, Michelle	Alternate	Public Defenders Office	Public Defender	
Koehler, Sonja	Non-Member	Bright Beginnings	Director	X
Perez Diaz, Mayra	Non-Member	United Way	Coordinator of MCCC and Community Impact Director, Early Childhood Investments	X
Foster, Julia	Guest			X

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Item	Summary of discussion/review	Action/deliverable
<b>1. Welcome and Introductions</b>	Meeting called to order at 12:08 p.m. by Chair, Lori Medina	
<b>2. Public Comment</b>		None
<b>3. Action Items</b> a. Approve the minutes of the February 13, 2023, Monterey County Children's Council meeting  b. Approve the MCCC 2021-2022 Annual Report.		a. The minutes of the February 13, 2023, meeting were approved. Motion by Deneen Guss. Seconded by Michael Applegate. Vote. Passed.  b. The MCCC 2021-2022 Annual Report was passed. Motion Katy Castagna. Second by Deneen Guss. Vote. Passed.
<b>4. Presentations/Discussions</b>  a. MCCC 2021-2022 Annual Report Overview	Lori Medina and Sonja Koehler presented an overview of the annual report to the COUNCIL.	<a href="#">MCCC 2021.2022 Annual Report presentation</a>  <a href="#">Bright Beginnings Annual Report presentation</a>
<b>6. Meeting Adjourned</b>		1:35p.m.