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GENERAL MEETING

ZOOM VIRTUAL MEETING

Monday, September 14, 2020 12:00-1:30pm

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3236509611?pwd=QlZTWUhRRzhSL3pPY1p4a0R1NjlBQT09

Meeting ID: 323 650 9611 Passcode: 5w9ebM

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome Elsa Jimenez, Chair
- **2. Public Comment** for items not on the agenda (limited to 3 minutes per person)
- 3. Action Items:
 - a. Approve the minutes of the August 10, 2020 Monterey County Children's Council meeting *Attached*
- 4. Presentation/Discussion:

Children and Family Resiliency

- a. Distance Learning Update Dr. Deneen Guss, MCOE
 - Best practices in Distance Learning and Challenges
 - Learning Pods
 - Resources for parents to support Distance Learning
- b. Childcare Sonja Koehler and Laura Keeley-Saldana, Bright Beginnings
 -Pop-Up Care
- 5. New Business:
 - a. Champions for Children Award
- 5. Updates/Announcements
- 6. Adjourn

Next meeting: October 12, 2020

Mission

The Children's Council provides leadership and policy direction to encourage the development of a comprehensive and collaborative delivery system of services to children and youth in Monterey County.