



Commonwealth of Virginia

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Work Session of the

Joint Subcommittee on the Virginia Preschool Initiative (VPI)

1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., Friday, July 24, 2015

House Appropriations Committee Room, 9th Floor, General Assembly Building

AGENDA

- I. Joint Subcommittee Staff Review of the Follow-up Information from June 11 Meeting
 - Review of JLARC Response and CELO Response
 - Susan Hogge, Legislative Analyst, House Appropriations Committee
- II. Summary of School Divisions with Current Partnerships with Private Providers
 - Susan Hogge, Legislative Analyst, House Appropriations Committee
 - Representatives from the City of Alexandria
 - Dr. Terri Mazingo, Chief Academic Officer of the Alexandria City Public Schools
 - Carol Farell, Chief, Early Childhood Division, Center for Children and Families, Department of Community and Human Services
 - Dr. Tammy Mann, President & CEO, The Campagna Center, Chairperson, Children Youth and Families Collaborative Commission
 - Representatives from Fairfax County
 - Maura Burke, Coordinator, Early Childhood and Grant Management
 - Anne-Marie Twohie, Director of the Office for Children
- III. Updates on Recent Related Activities and Stakeholder Input
 - Update on *Upskilling Virginia's Early Learning Workforce*
 - Kathy Glazer, Virginia Early Childhood Foundation
 - Overview of Commonwealth Council on Childhood Success' Work & Recommendations
 - Holly Coy or Clark Mercer, Lt. Governor's Office
 - Virginia Child Care Association Remarks on Barriers to Mixed Delivery
 - Kim Hulcher, President
 - Southwest Virginia Group Remarks on Student Eligibility Changes
 - Dr. Brenda Hess, Russell Schools Superintendent; Dr. Mike Robinson, Smyth Schools Superintendent; and Buckey Boone, Director of Smart Beginnings Southwest Virginia
 - Alliance for Virginia's Students
 - Nicole Dooley (Just Children)
 - Other stakeholder groups or individuals will also be welcomed by the co-chairs to provide initial input at this time. Speakers representing groups and organizations should consolidate remarks to reduce duplication. Written input may also be provided at any time.
- IV. Member Discussion and Next Steps
 - Sarah Herzog, Legislative Analyst, Senate Finance Committee