



Texas Department of Family and Protective Services

Commissioner
Jaime Masters

Family and Protective Services Council Meeting
Friday, November 13, 2020 at 9:00 am (CST)

Note: Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the meeting will be virtual

Go to Webinar Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6957303171819700235>

Agenda

- I. ORGANIZATIONAL ITEMS
 - A. Chair Calls the Meeting to Order and Provides Welcome Remarks
 - B. Council Liaison Calls the Roll
 - C. Chair Rules on a Quorum
 - D. Introduction of the New Council Member
 - E. Recognition of Guests
 - F. Review and Act on Acceptance of September 11, 2020 Meeting Minutes
 - G. Reaffirm the Date of the Next Meeting: February 12, 2021 (Judge Hellums)

- II. GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS
 - A. Planning Calendar
 - B. 2021 Council Quarterly Meeting Dates
 1. February 12, 2021
 2. May 14, 2021
 3. August 13, 2021
 4. November 12, 2021

- III. COUNCIL ACTIONS/INITIATIVES
 - A. Report from Council Workgroup
 1. Child Protective Services
 2. Child Protective Investigations/Human Trafficking
 3. Adult Protective Services
 4. Prevention and Early Intervention
 - B. Report on Current Council Activities and Events

- IV. Report on Program Updates and General Agency Information (Jaime Masters, Commissioner)

- V. Update on the DFPS Response to COVID-19 (Sasha Rasco, PEI; Stephen Black, SWI; Deneen Dryden, CPS; Jim Sylvester, CPI)

- VI. Presentation on Teen Suicide (Sasha Rasco, PEI and Stephen Black, SWI)

VII. Public Comment

VIII. Closing Remarks

IX. ADJOURNMENT

The Department welcomes public comment. We ask that individuals who want to provide input fill out a public comment form at: https://www.dfps.state.tx.us/About_DFPS/Public_Meetings/Council/default.asp by Thursday, November 12, 2020 at 1:00 pm. You will be given instructions on how to provide comment once you complete the registration form. Comments will be limited to three minutes.

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Persons with disabilities who plan to attend and require auxiliary aids or services are asked to email at dfpscouncil@dfps.state.tx.us at least three business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements may be made.

Please Note that this governmental meeting is, in the opinion of counsel representing the Department of Family and Protective Services, an open meeting subject to Chapter 551, Government Code and the Department of Family and Protective Services is providing notice of this meeting as required by Chapter 551.