

**Texas Department of Family and Protective Services** 

**Commissioner** Jaime Masters, MS, MFT

> Family and Protective Services Council Meeting Friday, March 11, 2022 at 9 am (CST) Brown-Heatly Public Hearing Room 4900 N. Lamar, Austin, TX 78751

# 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. Recognition of Guests
- E. Review and Act on Acceptance of December 10, 2021 Meeting Minutes

## II. GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

- A. Planning Calendar
  - 1. April: Child Abuse Prevention Month
  - 2. April 8: Go Blue Day
  - 3. April 14: CPS 101 Training (Faith-Based and Community Engagement)
  - 4. June: Elder Abuse Awareness Month
- B. 2022 Council Quarterly Meeting Dates
  - 1. June 10, 2022
  - 2. September 9, 2022
  - 3. December 9, 2022

### 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 Community Well-Being
- B. Report on Current Council Activities and Events

# IV. Agency Update

- A. Commissioner Welcome (Jaime Masters, Commissioner)
- B. Adult Protective Services (Kez Wold, Associate Commissioner)
- C. Prevention and Community Well-Being (Sasha Rasco, Chief Prevention and Community Well-Being Officer)
- D. Statewide Intake (Stephen Black, Associate Commissioner)
- E. Child Protective Investigations (Robert Richman, Associate Commissioner)
- F. Child Protective Services (Deneen Dryden, Associate Commissioner)
- G. Deputy Commissioner Update (Corliss Lawson, Deputy Commissioner)
- H. Strategic Plan (Julie Frank, Chief of Staff)

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### V. Public Comment

### VI. ADJOURNMENT

The Department welcomes public comment and will be taking comment on the 2023-2027 Strategic Plan during the meeting. We ask that individuals who want to provide input in person fill out a public comment form at:

https://www.dfps.state.tx.us/About\_DFPS/Public\_Meetings/Council/default.asp by Thursday, March 10, 2022 at 1 pm CST. Sign up is also permitted in person at the meeting. You will be given instructions on how to provide comment once you complete the registration form. Comments will be limited to three minutes.

Written public comment on the Strategic Plan can be submitted by completing a survey: <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7CKJKVF">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7CKJKVF</a>

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