



Assembly Blue Ribbon Commission on Early Childhood Education

Improving Access to Child Care

College of the Desert
Cravens Student Services Center
43-500 Monterey Avenue
Palm Desert, CA
Friday, March 2, 2018
2:00p.m.-4:00p.m.

Agenda

I. Welcome and opening remarks

Assemblymembers Kevin McCarty and Blanca Rubio, Co-Chairs
Joel L. Kinnamon, President & Superintendent, College of the Desert

II. Budget Update

Kristin Schumacher, Policy Analyst, California Budget and Policy Center

III. Access Panel

Eunique Zamudio, Child Care Parent, Ontario, CA
Rocio Villanueva, Family Child Care Provider in Yucaipa/SEIU Local 99 member
Dr. David Brady, University of California, Riverside
Sharon Baskett, Division of Early Learning Services, Riverside County Office of Education
Esmirna Valencia, Head Start and Early Head Start Programs, Riverside County Office of Education

IV. Commissioners remarks and questions

V. Subcommittee updates

Financing and Economic Impact of ECE
Expanding Access to Early Learning Programs
Workforce Retention and Development
Engaging and Meeting the Needs of Families

VI. Public comment