

**GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL ON DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL  
EDUCATION**

**Early Intervention Committee  
Minutes**

**LOCATION**

**Governor's Council Conference Room  
3601 C Street  
Anchorage, Alaska  
Teleconference**

**Meeting Date**

**Wednesday, September 2, 2015  
10:05 a.m.**

**Attendees:**

Angie Fraize - chair  
Karli Lopez  
Cassidy Jones  
Laurie Thomas  
Amber Parker  
Carrie Truett  
Shelly Vendetti-Vuckovich  
Annette Blanas  
Elizabeth Siddon  
Beth Kaplan

**Staff:**

Christie Reinhardt

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**CALL TO ORDER – 10:05 a.m.**  
**ROLL CALL**

**Welcome from the Chair**  
**Announcements and Good News**

Christie Reinhardt extended a happy birthday to Angie Fraize.

**Approval of Agenda and Approval of Past Minutes**

Due to a lack of quorum, both the approval of the agenda and approval of the past minutes were tabled.

**Correspondence**

There was no correspondence reported at the meeting.

**Reports**

**CHAIR'S REPORT**

There was no chair's report available for the meeting.

**Partner Reports**

**EARLY INTERVENTION/ILP**

Laurie Thomas reported that she and Lisa Balivet provided a presentation to representatives from Public Health, the Office of Children's Services, Behavioral Health, and Senior & Disability Services focused on looking for a home for the Early Intervention/ILP programs.

Laurie Thomas reported that she attended the Alaska Early Childhood Coordinating Council (AECCC) meeting where the focus was on strategic priorities, and a general regrouping of projects. Valerie Davidson, the commissioner, was in attendance and contributed a great deal to the meeting.

Laurie Thomas reported that work related to parent rights is continuing.







