

August 27, 2026
12:30 a.m. – 1:45 p.m.



Invited Guests

Ms. Christine Briede
Ms. April Catarella
Ms. Brandi Crowell
Ms. McKenzie Esta
Ms. Janai Garrison
Ms. Jessica Rouquette
Ms. Jovetta Sanders
Ms. Olivia Stricklin

Next meeting

October 2026

Quarterly Advisory Board Meeting

Advisory Board Members

Ms. Charmaine Caccioppi, Chair
Ms. Donna Austin, Vice-Chair
Ms. Michelle Aguirre
Ms. Jolena Broussard
Rabbi Yossi Chesney
Dr. Gina Easterly
Mr. Jim Garvey
Ms. Lillian Guilbault
Ms. Arielle Hughes
Ms. Anita Kennedy
Ms. Ruth Lawson

Mr. Larry Manshel
Ms. Yolanda Motley
Mr. Chad Nugent
Dr. Paula Polito
Ms. Rochelle Rabathaly
Ms. Stephanie Rizzuto
Ms. Monique Rouege
Dr. Libbie Sonnier
Ms. Kate Wendel
Dr. Shondra Williams

Agenda

Welcome, Introductions

Call to Order, Roll Call
Introductions, Welcome Guests
Approval of May Meeting Minutes

Committee Reports

Seats Committee
Finance Committee
Executive Committee
Program Committee
Membership and Bylaws

Strategic Initiatives: Increase Access and Quality

Early Educator Investment Collaborative

Reports

Communications Team
Grant Applications/Proposals:
 United Way
 Councilman Kerner

Other Business/Announcements

Adjourn