



**Nevada Early Childhood  
Advisory Council**  
**Executive Leadership Strategic Planning  
Ad Hoc Committee**  
Public Meeting  
Monday, December 15th, 2025  
9:00am-11:00am

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## AGENDA

### 1. Welcome, Purpose of Ad Hoc, Roster Review and Roll Call

*Denise Tanata and Abbey Bernhardt, Ad Hoc Committee Co-Chairs*

### 2. Public Comment #1

Public Comment will be taken during this agenda item regarding any item appearing on the agenda. No action may be taken on a matter discussed under this item until the matter is included on the agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The Co-Chairs may impose a time limit of three minutes. Public Comment #2 will provide an opportunity for public comment on any matter within the Committee's jurisdiction, control, or advisory power.

### 3. Approval of a Flexible Agenda *(Discussion for Possible Action)*

The Committee to vote on approval of a flexible agenda.

*Denise Tanata and Abbey Bernhardt, Ad Hoc Committee Co-Chairs*

### 4. Review of Proposed Strategic Plan, Drafted Goals and Implementation Strategies *(Discussion for Possible Action)*

The Committee to review two sets of drafted goals, one written by the Public Works team and the other created by Retreat Participants, to determine verbiage to add or remove as deemed appropriate, allowing the ECAC to move forward. The Committee also to review and discuss the proposed strategic plan and implementation strategies, making changes as appropriate for the ECAC Vision.

*Denise Tanata and Abbey Bernhardt, Ad Hoc Committee Co-Chairs*

### 5. Discuss Outline and Content for 2026-2028 ECAC Strategic Plan *(Discussion for Possible Action)*

The Committee to review the Public Works drafted Outline and Strategic Plan to discuss potential revisions and prioritize what information is to stay, as well as verbiage to be removed

*Denise Tanata and Abbey Bernhardt, Ad Hoc Committee Co-Chairs*

### 6. Ad Hoc Meeting Schedule and Future Agenda Items *(Discussion, Informational)*

The Committee to decide on the Ad Hoc meeting timeline, choose an Ad Hoc end date, discuss and decide on meeting schedule. Ad Hoc Meeting dates to be added to the 2026 Meeting Schedule.

### 7. Meeting Agenda Items *(Discussion, Informational)*

The Committee to decide what items to add to the meeting agenda for the next scheduled meeting. Meeting date decided on Agenda Item #6.

*Denise Tanata and Abbey Bernhardt, Ad Hoc Committee Co-Chairs*

### 8. Public Comment #2 *(Discussion for Possible Action)*

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### 9. Adjournment