



EARLY CARE & EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Workforce Solutions Alamo
100 N. Santa Rosa St., Suite 120, Boardroom
San Antonio, TX 78207
April 10, 2026
9:00 AM

AGENDA

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- I. CALL TO ORDER**
Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair
- II. ROLL CALL AND QUORUM DETERMINATION**
Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair
- III. DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT-OF-INTEREST**
Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair
- IV. PUBLIC COMMENT**
Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair
- V. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON MEETING MINUTES**
Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair
 - a. Meeting Minutes from January 16, 2026
- VI. CONSENT AGENDA (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)**
Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair
 - a. Texas Rising Star Update
- VII. CHILD CARE CHAMPION (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)**
Presenter: Teresa Chavez, Chief Operating Officer
 - a. Gracie Regalado, Learning with Grace Educational Child Care
 - b. Stephanie Bustos, Bustos Daycare and Youth Center
- VIII. PRESENTATION: LiftFund Inc. (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)**
Presenter: D'Undray Peterson, Program Manager, Business Support and Mindy Jimenez, Vice President of Advancement
- IX. CHILD CARE UPDATES (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)**
Presenter: Timothy Schindler, Director of Child Care
 - a. TWC Performance Target
 - b. Child Care Service – Open Intake
 - c. Texas Education Freedom Accounts (TEFA) Updates
 - d. Parent Cafe- Be Strong Families Parent Cafe Training Institute
- X. PARTNER UPDATES (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)**
 - a. United Way – Provider Council
 - b. Pre-K for SA – Updates on Quality Initiatives
 - c. Texas A&M University San Antonio
 - i. Early Matters – Recap of All Partners Convening
- XI. CEO REPORT (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)**
Presenter: Adrian Lopez, CEO
 - a. Impact Awards - Honoring Those Who Took the Chance...
 - i. Lakeshore Partnership
 - ii. Sponsorship
 - b. Local Match Partnerships

XII. CHAIR REPORT (DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION)

Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair

- a. Board Retreat

XIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Committee may move into Executive Session for discussion on any issue for which there is an exception to the Act as set out in section 551.071 et. seq. including, but not limited to, the following:

- a. Government Code §551.072 – Discussions Regarding Purchase, Exchange, Lease, or Value of Real Property if Deliberation in an Open Meeting Would Have a Detrimental Effect on the Position of Workforce Solutions Alamo in Negotiations with a Third Party;
- b. Government Code §551.071 – All Matters Where Workforce Solutions Alamo Seeks the Advice of its Attorney as Privileged Communications Under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas, Pending or Contemplated Litigation; and/or Settlement Offer;
- c. Government Code §551.074 – To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee of Workforce Solutions Alamo.

XIV. ADJOURNMENT

Presenter: Ana DeHoyos O'Connor, Committee Chair