



**AZHSA General Meeting Minutes**  
**August 23, 2018 Flagstaff High Country Conference Center**

Attendees: See meeting Sign in Sheets  
Meeting called to order at 10am  
Agenda was adopted and approved by unanimous vote

Sonya Montoya was installed as the AZHSA President replacing Mindy Zapata and Eve Del was installed as AZHSA Secretary replacing Sonya Montoya.

**AHSA Region IX Update**

Andrea Harvey, Program Specialist

- Powerpoint presentation
  - FY 2018 Budget increase including
    - COLA, Duration
    - Round three of EHS CCP and Expansion Competitive Application Opportunity
  - Eligibility for Duration services requires 1,020 annual hours and meet a minimum of 128 class days/4 da program; 160 days/5 days program
  - Full enrollment initiative , HS program must provide services to 100% of the children they are funded to serve and maintain an active waitlist
  - Programs must develop collaborative partnership with local ECE programs and Kindergarten school for successful transitions-increase partnership with LEA
  - Review of Region 9 CLASS scores

**Quality First Redesign:**

Patricia Valenzuela, QF Redesign Project Manager

- PowerPoint presentation
  - Overview of redesign goals and model
  - Partnership with Head Start per HSPPS 1302.53(b)(2) supports ongoing collaborative efforts to increase quality by strengthening program alignment
  - Leveraging of funding to support extended day and increase quality rating

**Arizona Early Childhood Career and Professional Development Network**

- Powerpoint presentation
  - Overview of program services and website navigation
  - Career lattice that supports higher levels of educational attainment
  - Focus on 8 ECE Core Competencies for workforce
  - Early Childhood Workforce Registry , web based platform that enables ECE professionals to track professional development and work experience in a central location

## HSCCO /ADE Update

Nicole Russell- ADE

- Powerpoint presentation
  - Increased focus on strategic planning
  - Review of desired outcomes and process to determine how to meet identified targets
  - Head Start Collab Office review of six priorities
    - EHSCCP
    - DATA
    - Workforce Development
    - QRIS
    - KEA
    - Region IX collaboration