



Montcalm County

Montcalm County Great Start Collaborative

Agenda

8/6/25

11:30am - 1:30pm

Meeting in Person at MAISD 621 New St Stanton

- I. Call to order:
- II. Welcome & Introductions:
- III. Public Comment:
- IV. August Agenda Approval:
- V. June Meeting Minutes Approval:
- VI. Director Report: Cari O'Connor [The Business Case for Child Care](#)
- VII. New Business:
 - A. Highlight Presentation: Mid-Michigan Health Department WIC
 - B. Greenville Childcare Project Data
 - C. 2026-2031 Strategic Planning Activities: *Action
 - D. 2024-2025 Preschool Annual Report *Action
 - E. 2025-2026 MCGSC Meeting Schedule *Action
 - F. 2025-2026 MCGSC Vice Chair Nominations
- VIII. Old Business:
 - A. Dolly Parton Imagination Library update: Mindy Train
 - B. Early On Local Interagency Coordinating Council (LICC): Cindy DeYoung
 - C. Talking is Teaching Update: Monique Cooper
- IX. Committee Reports:
 - A. Executive & Communication: Cari O'Connor
 - B. Early Care & Education: Mindy Train
 - C. Family Wellness: Karen Marsman
 - D. Family Leadership: Monique Cooper
- X. Roundtable Updates
- XI. Principals of Collaboration Survey
- XII. Adjournment

Next Meeting Date *October 1st, 2025*, 11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Location 621 New St Stanton MI 48888

Advance health equities. Early Childhood services meet high standards of quality. Children prenatal to age five and their families thrive.

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