



**Early Childhood Education Task Force
Meeting 6 Agenda
Thursday, November 3, 2022 3:00 PM
Annex Room 149**



1. Call to Order and Roll Call

2. Approval of Minutes - October 20, 2022

3. Child Care Provider Business Coaching

Jessica Cain, Program Manager for ARPA Funding
Division of Child Care, Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services

Cathi Arwood, Manager, Child Care Program Policy
Texas Workforce Commission

4. Child Care Educator Shortage Solutions

Stephanie Akers, Director, Educational Unit for Child Care Services
Morehead State University

Dr. Bridget Murray, Professor/IECE Program Coordinator
Henderson Community College

Ariel Ford, Director, Division of Child Development & Early Education
North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services

Gwen Laaser, Director of Child Care Services
Division of Child Care and Community Services, Tennessee Department of
Human Services

5. Adjournment