**East Missouri Action Agency**

**Head Start Policy Council**

**Highlights**

**February 5, 2024**

**10:30 am**

The EMAA Head Start Policy Council Meeting was held Monday, February 5, 2024 in Park Hills, Missouri at the EMAA Central Office.

**Approvals Granted:**

1. **Consideration of Minutes:** The Council approved the January 2024 Regular Session minutes.
2. **Approval of Eligibility Priority Grid**: The Council approved the Eligibility Priority Grid.
3. **Approval of 2024 Head Start Self-Assessment Tools**: The Council approved for the Head Start Department to use the 2024 Federal Monitoring Protocol as the Self-Assessment Tool.
4. **Ste. Genevieve Head Start Fundraiser**: The Council approved Ste. Genevieve Head Start to sell 50/50 tickets in the community. The money will be used for end of year activities.
5. **Iron County Head Start Fundraiser**: The Council approved Iron County Head Start to hold a McTeacher’s night and have popcorn, Paparazzi, and Soap Lady fundraisers. The money is to be used for end of the year activities.
6. **Washington County Head Start Fundraiser**: The Council approved Washington County Head Start to hold a McTeacher’s night and Soap Lady fundraiser. The money is to be used for greenhouses.
7. **Farmington I&II Head Start Fundraiser**: The Council approved Farmington I&II to hold fundraisers with Panera, White Castle, Buffalo Wild Wings, and have a 50/50 raffle stand at the racetrack. The money is to be used for end of the year activities.

**Approval of Reports Received:**

1. Expenditure Reports for December 2023
2. Personnel Action Reports for December 2023
3. Non-Federal Match Reports for December 2023
4. Enrollment, Screening, Attendance, & CACFP Report for December 2023

**Information Items:**

1. School Readiness Child Outcomes
2. Program Information 1-9-2024
3. 2024 Head Start Continuation Grant
4. Director’s Reports for December 2023

**Matters Discussed:**

1. Updates on fundraisers that have been held.
2. TR Dudley discussed the resource expo with the Council.

**The next Policy Council meeting will be Monday, June 6, 2022 at 10:30 am.**