

Partnerships 4 Families

April 16, 2026 11:00 AM

Meeting location: New Opportunities, Inc. Carroll Room D and Via Zoom

Members present: Trevor Nunn, Margee Shaffer, Char Bintner, Linda Muhlbauer, Tonya Weber, TJ Pauley, Dr Josh Strehle, and Area Director Amy McGinn. Excused: Jewel Proctor

Guests: Paula Spies, Sara Skinner, Jordan Morse

McGinn called the meeting to order at 11:01 AM Quorum was met.

Approval of Consent Items:

Weber made a motion to approve the agenda, Pauley seconded the motion, all were in favor, motion passed. Pauley made a motion to approve the minutes of February 19, 2026, Strehle seconded the motion, all were in favor, motion passed. Weber made a motion to approve the financials, Bintner seconded, the motion passed with all in favor.

Board Member Recruitment and Terms:

- A. Shaffer made a motion to appoint TJ Pauley as treasurer, Muhlbauer seconded, the motion passed with all in favor.
- B. There remain three positions open on the board. At this time no recruitment will take place, as the board is waiting for direction from the state regarding redefined ECI areas.

Discussion and Action Items:

- A. Shaffer made a motion to accept the return of allocated but unneeded funds from St. Anthony's Parents as Teachers. Weber seconded, the motion passed with all in favor.

Discussion and Updates in P4F Early Childhood Iowa Area

- A. McGinn shared information regarding HSB 777, Morse provided historical context.
- B. Spies is looking at getting the IFSC to get home visits back in Greene County while she tries to find an affiliate partner for PAT.
- C. Morse shared a presentation with the board regarding Parents as Teachers, giving historical context for the move from HOPES to PAT.

Public Input: none

Next Meetings:

- a. Board Meeting May 21, 2026 11:00 AM New Opportunities & Zoom
- b. Board Meeting June 18, 2026 11:00 AM New Opportunities & Zoom

Adjournment: Weber made a motion to adjourn at 11:44, Nunn seconded the motion, meeting adjourned.

Minutes respectfully submitted by: Amy McGinn and Josh Strehle