



MANSFIELD ADVOCATES FOR CHILDREN
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
MINUTES

Wednesday, April 10, 2013
2:00-3:30pm, Town Hall, Conference Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: G. Bent (co-chair), K. Grunwald (staff), R. Leclerc (staff),
K. Krider (staff), C. Guerreri, A. Vincent and S. Delia (staff)

GUESTS: Davie Bechtel

WHAT (Topic)	DISCUSSION	OUTCOME
Call to Order	G. Bent called the meeting to order at 2:03 pm.	
Minutes	Review and discussion of Minutes of March 13, 2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amendments to the March minutes were discussed and approved by consensus 	<i>The March 13, 2013 Minutes are approved with amendments by consensus.</i>
	Discussion of K-Transition Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not have a <i>town-wide</i> K-Transition Plan • In process of revamping CAN to different objectives. • Suggestion of outside facilitator to assist in discussions. 	
Old Business	List of Influence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will be a Faith-based event on May 22 to include Faith Leaders in our community. • Kathleen will present to the Board of Education on Thursday, April 11 about the data collected in the CCEA Concordance Report. 	
New Business	Human Services Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G. Bent mentioned that MAC's focus on children birth – 8, also includes a focus on families and on grandparents • K. Grunwald stated that MAC shouldn't be stuck in a narrow niche, this is an opportunity for education 	
Plan Revision	A Key Partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • D. Bechtel went over format of Key Partners table. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K. Grunwald suggested adding timelines. • The group went through the strategies one by one. • C. Guerreri reminded the group that a one page narrative of the changes to the Mansfield Plan should be included with the Graustein Grant application. This should also include a timeline and examples. 	<p><i>Sarah will send Individual sections of team plans to the Executive Council. She will also send the sections to Individual teams to review and revise their own sections.</i></p>
Adjournment	<p>The meeting adjourned at 3:32 pm.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, May 1, 2013 5:00pm – 5:30pm Arrival and Dinner 5:30pm – 7:30pm MAC Meeting</p> <p>Next Executive Council meeting:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, May 8, 2013 2:00pm – 3:30pm At Town Hall in Conference Room B.</p> <p>Agenda topics: Please send to Kathleen at kriderk@mansfieldct.org</p> <p>Respectfully submitted,</p> <p>Sarah Delia Assistant to Early Childhood Services Coordinator</p>	

All Mansfield Children ages birth through 8 years old are healthy, successful learners connected to the community.