



# MONTEREY COUNTY CHILDREN'S COUNCIL

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

**Katy Castagna**, CEO, United Way Monterey County (Josh Madfis, Alternate)  
**Nancy Kotowski**, Ph.D., Superintendent, Monterey County Office of Education – Chair (Deneen Guss, Ed. D, Alternate)  
**Elsa Jimenez**, Director, Health Dept. (Dr. Edward Moreno, Health Officer, Alternate)  
**Marcia Parsons**, Chief, Probation Department (Todd Keating, Alternate)  
**Elliott Robinson**, Director, Dept. of Social Services

## MEMBERS

**Jayanti Addleman**, Monterey County Free Libraries (Berenice Astengo, Alternate)  
**José Arreola**, Community Alliance for Safety and Peace  
**Dan Baldwin**, Community Foundation for Monterey County, (Laurel Lee-Alexander, Alternate)  
**Valerie Barnes**, M.D., Child Abuse Prevention Council (David Maradei, Alternate)  
**Stephen Bernal**, Sheriff (Jayne Surbeck, Alternate)  
**Dan Burns**, Superintendent, Salinas Union School District (Tim Vanoli, Alternate)  
**Susan Chapman**, Public Defender (Jeremy Dzubay Alternate)  
**Dean Flippo**, District Attorney (Jeannine Pacioni, Alternate)  
**Jean Goebel**, Housing Authority of Monterey County (Joni Ruelaz, Alternate)  
**Jody Hansen**, Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce (Kathi Speller, Alternate)  
**Stephanie Hulseay**, Judge, Superior Court, Juvenile Division  
**Kristan Lundquist**, City of Salinas  
**Amie Miller**, Behavioral Health (Marni Sandoval, Alternate)  
**Lori Medina**, Department of Social Services  
**Eduardo Ochoa**, Ph.D., CSUMB (Cynthia Holmsky, Alternate)  
**Supervisor Jane Parker** (District 4) (Wendy Askew, Alternate)  
**Hector Rico**, Ed. D, Superintendent, Alisal Union School District (Martha Martinez, Alternate)  
**Francine Rodd**, Monterey County First 5 Commission (Beth Reeves-Fortney, Alternate)  
**Robin McCrae**, Community Human Services (Shirley Milleco, Alternate)  
**Lori McDonnal**, Special Kids Crusade  
**Charles McKee**, County Counsel (Annette Cutino, Alternate)  
**Walter Tribley**, Ph.D., Monterey Peninsula College (Catherine Nyznyk, Alternate)  
**Shannan Watkins**, Child Care Planning Council (Dora McKean Alternate)

## GENERAL MEETING

Monterey County Office of Education  
901 Blanco Circle, Salinas, CA 93901

Monday, January 08, 2018  
12:00-1:30pm

## AGENDA

- 1. Welcome** – Nancy Kotowski, Chair
- 2. Public Comment** for items not on the agenda (limited to 3 minutes per person)
- 3. Action items:**
  - Approve the minutes of the December 11, 2017 Monterey County Children's Council meeting - *Attached*
- 4. General Council Updates:**
  - The 2016-2017 annual report to be presented to council in February.
- 5. Initiative Updates:**
  - Bright Beginnings: Nina Alcaraz to present: Seaside General Plan; Opportunities for Early Childhood
  - Bright Futures: Ben Bruce and Michael Applegate to present: Inventory of Programs Serving Youth
- 6. Information/Announcements**
- 7. Adjourn**

**Next meeting:** Monday, February 12, 2018

## Mission

The Children's Council provides leadership and policy direction to encourage the development of a comprehensive and collaborative delivery system of services to children and youth in Monterey County.