

Community Services of Northeast Texas, Inc.
Head Start Policy
Council Meeting
Tuesday, April 21, 2026 9:00 am
Head Start Management Building
124 N Main Street
Linden, Texas

CALL TO ASSEMBLY

Please rise.

 **Pledge of Allegiance (US)** – *I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.*

 **Pledge of Allegiance (TX)** – *Honor the Texas flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible.*

 **Community Action Promise** - *Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities, and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community, and we are dedicated to Helping People Help themselves and each other.*

 **Our CSNT Mission** – *CSNT applies all available strategies enabling Northeast Texas families to lead improved, empowered, and self-reliant lives.*

 **Our Head Start Vision** – *To provide a system of education and encouragement which results in school-readiness for young children and their families.*

Invocation

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
2. **Recognize New Policy Council Members**
3. **Establishment of Quorum**
4. **Approval of Agenda**
5. **Approval of Minutes for February 24, 2026**
6. **Presentations**
 - A. **Pittsburg Head Start**
7. **Reports**
 - A. **Financial Report** Jess Ervin
 - a. **Head Start Financial Report**
 - b. **CACFP Financial Report**
 - B. **Head Start Director Report** Misty Van Hooser
 - a. **Head Start/Early Head Start Report March/April 2026**
 - b. **Head Start/Early Head Start PIR March/April 2026**
 - C. **Chief Executive Officer Report** Michelle Morehead

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8. Committee Reports

- A. Appoint Committee Member(s)
- B. Committee Report
 - a. Executive Committee Meeting

9. Training

- 1. None

10. Action Items

- A. Discuss and/or Approve 2026-2027 Selection Criteria
 - a. Head Start
 - b. Early Head Start
- B. Discuss and/or Approve 2026 Head Start Program Self-Assessment Report
- C. Discuss and/or Approve 2026-2027 School Calendars
 - a. Atlanta
 - b. Bloomburg
 - c. Daingerfield
 - d. Hughes Springs
 - e. Hughes Springs Early Head Start
 - f. Pittsburg
 - g. Texarkana
- D. Discuss and/or Approve Ratification of Action taken by Executive Committee
 - a. EHS Change in Scope - Conversion Grant Amendment #06CH012925/02
- E. Discuss and/or Approve 2026-2027 School Menus

11. Discussion Items

- A. Discuss Head Start Program Winter Data
 - 1. CLASS Winter 2025 Data
- B. Discuss Audit Results

12. Audience Comments

13. Executive Session

- A. Personnel
 - 1. New hires and terminations

Discussion with respect to any matter specifically made confidential by law or regulation. Topics may include but are not limited to: Approval of new hires, terminations, and employee matters of a confidential nature.

14. Required Action from Executive Session

15. Adjourn