2015 Greater El Paso Chamber of Commerce State Legislative Agenda

Addendum: Public Education

Approve funding and development of early childhood education programs
Policy Position: All Texas students should have access to high quality early childhood education programs. To support this, the Legislature should include formula funding for quality full-day pre-kindergarten programs, which must utilize developmental appropriate assessments, leverage available resources, coordinate with other early childhood providers, and offer teachers with professional development resources.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, on October 7, 2014, the City of El Paso (the "City") adopted it's Legislative Agenda for the 84th Texas Legislative Session; and

WHEREAS, the Greater El Paso Chamber of Commerce's State Legislative Agenda includes supporting the funding and development of early childhood education programs; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to amend its Legislative Agenda to include similar language as the Greater El Paso Chamber of Commerce.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

1. That the City of El Paso in collaboration with Greater El Paso Chamber of Commerce amends its Legislative Agenda to support the funding and development of early childhood education programs.

ADOPTED this the ____ day of November, 2014.

THE CITY OF EL PASO

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Oscar Leeser
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk

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