



# **Southeast Region**

## *Michigan Family Support Council*

### **34<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

The Board of the Southeastern Region welcomes you to the 34th Annual Fall Training Conference at the beautiful Boyne Highlands Resort. We have many fun activities planned, and of course an agenda packed full of relevant training topics.

The SE Board of Directors elected to again hold our Spring Training Conference at scenic MacRay Harbor in Highland Township on May 13, 2016. As always, the view was spectacular from our second floor conference room. Our speakers for the day included Ellen Wood who spoke on PEP, Elizabeth Stomski who brought us up to date on UIFSA 2008, and Cindy Sherburn with our Legislative Updates for the year. In addition, the MDHHS IV-D Director, Erin Frisch, spoke to the group about the subjects requested by the audience! This format was highly rated by those in attendance and reviewers were enthusiastic about the information shared. The board also tried something new this year - an open forum for partner questions and answers. While there may be some organizational tweaks to be made, the information shared was valuable and attendees liked the idea of repeating this next year.

I would like to thank the Board for all the hard work throughout the year! Our Board of Directors consists of: Jeanette Miracle-Leshan, President, State Board and Oakland FOC Rep; Lisa Robinson, Vice President, State Board and Wayne FOC Rep; Kathryn (K.C.) Mayer, Secretary and Wayne PA Rep; Sandra Erickson, St. Clair FOC Rep; Dan McLean, Macomb FOC and State Board Rep; Anjela Moore, Wayne FOC Rep; Julie Izzo, Oakland FOC Rep; Beth Naftaly Kirshner, Macomb and State Board PA Rep; Christine Graver, Wayne PA Rep; Tamekia Young, OCS Rep; Katie Parkhurst, OCS Rep; Tiffany Heard, OCS Rep; Kenyatta Myricks, OCS and State Board Rep and Lawrence White, OCS Rep. As a group, we meet on the third Friday of the month. If you are interested in attending a meeting, please contact one of the board members for the location. We would love to have your participation and input.

Finally, we hope you enjoy your stay at Boyne and take back some valuable information afterward.

Sincerely,

Jeanette Miracle-Leshan  
President, Southeastern Region  
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