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Dear Children and Families Strategy Task Force Members:

The purpose of this letter is to notify the individuals listed below of their appointment to the King County Children and Families Strategy Task Force, for a term expiring on September 30, 2020. These appointments are subject to confirmation by the King County Council.

King County Council Motion 15521 established the King County Children and Families Strategy Task Force to explore policy recommendations related to child care affordability and access in King County. The task force will be tasked with preparing a report that makes recommendations for addressing access and affordability issues related to child care in King County.

I am pleased to appoint the following individuals to the King County Children and Families Strategy Task Force, effective immediately:

Lois Martin	as a representative of an organization representing the interests of licensed child care centers
Patricia Bailey	as a representative of an organization representing the interests of licensed in home child care provider
John Bancroft	as a representative of an organization providing childcare services as a family, friend, and or neighbor child care provider in King County
Maki Park	as a representative of an organization or individual representing parents who utilize child care on a regular basis
Casey Osborn-Hinman	as a representative of an organization or individual representing parents who utilize child care on a regular basis
Ti'esh Harper	as a representative of an organization or individual representing parents who utilize child care on a regular basis
Ruth Kagi	as a representative of an organization representing the interests of philanthropy
Karen Hart	as a representative of an organization representing the interests of labor
Nela Cumming	as a representative of an organization providing child care services in rural or unincorporated King County
Ryan Quigtar	as a representative of an organization providing child care services in rural or unincorporated King County

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Susan Yang	as a representative of an organization providing multicultural, bilingual curriculum in either the preschool care program setting
	or the after-school care program setting, or both, in King County
Gloria Hodge	as a representative of an organization providing multicultural, bilingual curriculum in either the preschool care program setting or the after-school care program setting, or both, in King County
Bilan Aden	as a representative of an organization providing multicultural, bilingual curriculum in either the preschool care program setting or the after-school care program setting, or both, in King County
Zamzam Mohamed	as a representative of an organization representing the interest6s of immigrant or refugee communities in King County
Theressa Lenear	as a representative of a nonprofit organization providing training and professional development for family child care providers and family, friend and neighbor child care providers in King County
Laura Kneedler	as a representative of an organization representing the needs of children with developmental delays or disabilities
Wendy Harris	as a representative from the King County best starts for kids team in the department of community and human services or the department of public health
Nancy Ashley	as a representative of an advocacy organization representing parents, early learning, foster care youth and expanded learning opportunity interests in King County
Omana Imani	as a representative of an advocacy organization representing parents, early learning, foster care youth and expanded learning opportunity interests in King County
Allison Krutsinger	as a representative of an advocacy organization representing parents, early learning, foster care youth and expanded learning opportunity interests in King County
Paula Steinke	as a representative of an advocacy organization representing parents, early learning, foster care youth and expanded learning opportunity interests in King County
Debra Ren-Etta Sullivan	as a representative of an advocacy organization representing parents, early learning, foster care youth and expanded learning opportunity interests in King County
Natalie Lente	as a representative of an organization whose mission is to stem the level of child care expulsions in King County
Denise Pruitt	as a representative of the King County department of human resources
Sarah Reyneveld	as a representative from the King County women's advisory board
Jenny Choi	as a representative from the Seattle department of educational and early learning
Calli Knight	as a representative from the King County office of the executive
Lauren Vlas	as a representative from the King County council

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Thank you for agreeing to serve the people of King County as a member of the Children and Families Strategy Task Force.

Sincerely,

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King County Executive

cc: The Honorable King County Council

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