



## Texas Department of Family and Protective Services

Commissioner  
Jaime Masters

Advisory Committee on Promoting Adoption of Minority Children  
Quarterly Meeting  
Thursday, August 4, 2022 at 2:00 pm (CST)  
Yale Street Baptist Church  
4315 Yale Street, Houston, TX 77018

### Agenda

1. Chair calls the meeting to order and provides welcome remarks
2. Opening Prayer
3. Introduction of committee members and DFPS staff attending
4. Vote and approve meeting minutes from May 5, 2022
5. Discussion of representation and engagement of committee members.
6. Workgroup Updates-Discussion of workgroup responsibilities, next steps, and updates.
  1. Community Forums
  2. Networking
  3. Faith-Based Initiatives
  4. On-Boarding and Recruitment
7. Discussion of Disproportionality Data
8. Discussion of 2022 Annual Report
9. Discussion of 2023 Meeting Schedule
  1. February 2, 2023 – Discuss Location
  2. May 4, 2023 – Discuss Location
  3. August 3, 2023 – Discuss Location
  4. November 2, 2023 – Discuss Location
10. 2022 Meeting Schedule
  1. November 3, 2022-Dallas
11. Closing Remarks
12. Adjournment

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