

CALAVERAS COUNTY COMMITTEE FACT SHEET

NAME	Calaveras County Children and Families Commission (First 5 Calaveras)
LEGAL AUTHORITY	ORDINANCE NO. 2878
MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS AND RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS	<p>Seven (7) Members</p> <p>One (1) member of the Board of Supervisors or its designee, One (1) member Human Services Agency Director or designee, One (1) County Health Officer or designee, Four (4) members who represent any of the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) recipients of project services included in the County Strategic Plan; b) Educators specializing in early childhood development; c) Representatives of a local child care resource or referral agency or a local child care coordinating group; d) Representatives of a local organization for prevention for families at risk; e) Representatives of community-based organizations that have the goal of promoting nurturing and early childhood development; f) Representatives of local school districts; and g) Representatives of local medical, pediatric or obstetric associations or societies.
TERM	Three Year Terms
DUTIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Define and promote the First 5 Calaveras mission/vision • Establish policy • Make major decisions (i.e., adopt strategic plan, funds allocations, etc.) • Provide public leadership and support for the goals, objectives and strategies of the commission • Provide supervision and support to the Executive Director • Provide leadership to make early childhood development a focal point for the community, rallying many diverse resources around a common agenda that benefits young children and families.”
MEETING DATE AND LOCATION	First Friday of each month, generally 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. First 5 Calaveras Office, 16-B Main Street, San Andreas, CA
CONTACT	<p>Karen Pekarcik, Executive Director, First 5 Calaveras PO Box 209, San Andreas, CA 95249 209-754-1470 email: karenpekarcik@sbcglobal.net Website: www.first5calaveras.org</p>
COMPENSATION	No compensation provided

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