

## **Policy Council Meeting Schedule**

**Policy Council meets the second  
Tuesday of Month from 6-8 PM.**

**Childcare is not provided. Information  
is mailed to you in advance of the  
meeting.**

**August 12, 2025**

**September 9, 2025**

**October 14, 2025 (orientation)**

**November 11, 2025**

**December 9, 2025**

**January 13, 2026**

**February 10, 2026**

**March 10, 2026**

**April 14, 2026**

**May 12, 2026**

**June 9, 2026**

**July no meeting**

**August 11, 2026**

**September 8, 2026**

**October 13, 2026**

**November 10, 2026 (term ends)**

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**Head Start of Lane County**

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### What is Policy Council

Policy Council is a group of interested parents and community volunteers working on behalf of Head Start.

### Why would I want to join?

Serving on Policy Council provides parent volunteers with many opportunities. You can:

- ~ Learn leadership skills
- ~ Attend training
- ~ Provide input on parent concerns
- ~ Be a state representative
- ~ Serve on several different committees
- ~ Evaluate the program
- ~ Review program policies, goals and budget
- ~ Learn more about your community and what Head Start has to offer

### Want to know more?

Talk with your teacher or family service staff for more information.

### Yikes! Do I have the experience?

No experience is necessary, just a willingness to be involved. Head Start provides the training on Policy Council roles and responsibilities.

### OK, I might be interested, but what am I committing to?

An orientation on the roles and responsibilities. The Policy Council meets once a month; members must commit to attending at least 8 of 10 meetings. You receive supplemental funds for transportation and childcare.

### Who is in charge of these meetings?

Policy Council elects an executive group: chair, vice-chair, secretary, treasurer, and parliamentarian. The executive group is in charge of the meetings, with support from Head Start staff.