Adair County Early Childhood Committee In **Partnership with Adair County Interagency** June 13, 2013 4:00 P.M. **Immanuel Lutheran Church** 505 N. E. Dodge Street Greenfield, Iowa 50849

Agenda

Introductions Announcements Agency sharing – limit to 5 minutes Legislative Update Adair County Community meetings 4 R Kids ECI update FY2014 Programs

Community Plan

Assets and Challenges Adair County Profile 4 R Kids Profile

Substance Abuse Prevention update

Success 4 Kids - Prevent Child Abuse Council update

Child Abuse Statistics FY2014 Programming Community Partnerships for Protecting Children update Creston Cluster Decategorization update FY2014 Meeting dates and Locations

Future meetings All meetings are at Immanuel Luther Church in Greenfield September 12, 201 December 12, 2013 March 13, 2014 June 12, 2014

Early Childhood Committee Purpose:

The Adair County Early Childhood Committee shall be the standing advisory committee for the 4 R Kids Early Childhood Iowa Area Board. Community partners, agencies, citizens and Board members may participate; participation is not limited to any agency or person. The 4 R Kids Early Childhood Iowa Area Board may refer specific issues/tasks to this committee. Tasks may include but not limited to, provide expertise in fields of health, human services, early care and education; suggest public policy; provide guidance on community needs and issues; and advocacy for the early childhood Iowa area.

The Adair County Early Childhood Committee is combining efforts with other agencies that provide services to Adair County families. This will reach a wider network of stakeholders that will increase community collaboration among many agencies. There will be a focus on early childhood as well as other age groups. Agendas will be developed jointly with community partners.