



MePCSW Meeting Minutes
December 16, 2021, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.
Online Meeting

In Attendance: Sue Mackey Andrews, Kate Elmes, Samantha Lott Hale, Bonnie Porta, Jill Barkley Roy, Jennifer Wilkey, Rebecca Austin, Jill Randall, Fatuma Hussein,
Absent: Maulian Dana, Ruth Kermish-Allen, Anne Gass, Moriah Geer, Meredith Strang Burgess, Darylen Cote, Kim Moody

Welcome and Introductions

Old Business – Kate

- **Approve October minutes** - Motion to approve by Bonnie, Sue second, all approved
- **Partner check in project** – Will meet in January and share ideas at future meeting

Committee Report Out: Report/Data Committee

Data forum and next steps – Sue

Review of draft summary. Around 31 focus group participants over three sessions. Good representation from different interests. DOC and DOL present. Attendees interested in hearing from one another.

Highlight will be the Care Economy; both women working in the economy and the uncompensated care women engage in that affects their employment. Crisis programs being reduced at a time when women are carrying an enormous amount of added stress. Barriers to accurate data collection. Make recommendations and get info to grant funders. Anne, Sue, and Jennifer will create an outline. Spring release.

New Business - Kate

Nikki will share meeting invites.

Next scheduled meeting date – February 17, 2022, 1:00-2:30