



# ***What's New and Different @ The Council***

## **STRUCTURE**

Revision of the bylaws to include:

- Orientation for new members.
- New Role & Responsibilities for the Steering Committee.
- Formal connection with the County Council for Young Children.



## **COMMUNICATION & COLLABORATION**

- Formal communication and collaboration systems between committees and workgroups.
- Formal communication systems between Council and Inter Department Group.
- Enhanced Council meeting format .
- Formal external communication systems.

## **WORKFORCE**

- Identify early childhood leadership trainings in NJ.
- Survey early care and education workforce to determine professional development needs and interests.
- Establish demonstration sites and learning communities for Family Child Care providers.
- Identify additional funds to conduct a professional development retreat.
- Acquire funding to have Core Knowledge and Competencies document translated into Spanish.

