# Report for the Missouri Coordinating Board for Early Childhood

January 10, 2011



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**Date of last meetings:** Network—September  $23^{rd}$ : Board—October  $8^{th}$ 

**Date of next meetings:** Network—January 13<sup>th</sup>; Board—January 14<sup>th</sup>

## **Action Items In-progress/Pending:**

- November: Carol traveled to KC and Springfield to meet with agency personnel
- Agreement with MSBA for production of videos tutorials on use of the new Workshop Calendar (to be unveiled this spring)
- November TV ads to market the statewide referral center to parents in St. Louis are now being followed by radio spots and bus-side billboards. Radio and bus billboards are beginning in Kansas City, as well. Print ads in regional parent magazines are appearing now or will soon.
- Applied for NACCRRA-funded scholarships to take parents with us again this year to the Policy Symposium.



### Photo of bus ad in Kansas City

<u>Point of Info</u>: Production costs for all these marketing tools—TV spot, radio spot, billboard—were covered by NACCRRA, so only the costs for placements are charged to the referral center's 6-month marketing budget of \$80,000. This donated design work also included our corporate identity package materials (letterhead, biz cards, etc.) for the new name, a magazine ad/poster, and a tri-fold brochure.

### **Announcements:**

- Online clock-hour workshops are now available through our web site.
- Attending National Network of Statewide AfterSchool Networks Jan. 24-27, at MASN's expense.

### **Questions for the board/larger group:**

• N/A

### **Other Notes:**

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