



STATE COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

BAY AREA REGIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (RAC) MEETING & COMMUNITY OUTREACH

NOTICE & AGENDA



Date Wednesday, February 22, 2017



Time 7:00pm – 9:00pm



Location Golden Gate Regional Center San Mateo Office
3130 La Selva St. San Mateo, CA 94403

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7:00p Call to Order
Introductions / Establishment of Quorum

Rauch
Nicholau



7:10p Approval of the meeting minutes of 11/30/2016

Rauch



7:15p Public Comment

An invitation to provide the public an opportunity to comment and/or present information to the Committee on **any matter that is not on the agenda**. Each public member is afforded up to 3 minutes to speak. Written requests will be considered first. The Committee will provide a public comment period not to exceed 5 minutes total for all public comments prior to action on any agenda item.



7:25p Impactful Advocacy: Tools & Tips

Van der Woert / Usac

Review recommended best-practices for advocacy on a regional, state and federal level, and identify stakeholder groups, and expand the impact of your advocacy.



7:45p BART Priority Seating Inquiry

Buell

The BART Accessibility Taskforce recently reviewed the Priority Seating signs and policy. It was noted that this policy is not currently legally enforceable, thus the priority seating may not be available for seniors and people with disabilities. Hear the concern and discuss.



7:55p Immigration Rights Updates and Info

Nicholau

Hear Immigration Rights updates and need-to-know information, as provided by Prof. Bill Hing, Director of the Immigration and Deportation Defense Clinic, USF Immigration Law.



8:05p Understanding Disparity Data

Nicholau

Learn how to look at, understand and ask questions about disparity data (such as in Purchase of Service and Health Care).



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8:20p Reports

Rauch

- Chair Report
- Regional Center Reports
- County DD Council Reports
- People First Report



8:40p Manager's Report

Nicholau

- Bay Area Office Activities Update
- SCDD Statewide Grant 2017
- RAC and State Council Membership Update



8:50p Other Announcements & Agenda Items for Future Meetings

An opportunity of members of the community to bring up ideas, needs, issues and concerns



9:00p Meeting Adjourned

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