

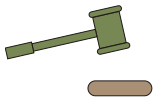


North Bay Regional Advisory Committee **MINUTES**

 Date	Monday, March 22, 2021
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Call to Order

Meeting called to order on Monday, March 22, at 11:30 a.m.



Quorum not established

Welcome and Introductions

Members Present - Ellen Sweigert and Bobby Craig

SCDD– Lisa Hooks, Julie Eby-McKenzie, Tobias Weare and Genoveva Michel



Members Absent – Mar Angeles, Daphne Dunstan, Donna Martinez, Ana Uribe, Angela Zamora, Sonia Jones, Zoe Bartholomew, Chen Curtiss and Maria Avina

Members of the Public- none

Approval of Committee Meeting Minutes

January 25, 2021 No quorum established
February 22, 2021
August 26, 2019



Public Comment

None



Reports/Information

- Co-Chairs
 - Napa – Ellen
- Ellen shared her experience participating in a Down syndrome awareness walk and the Statewide Self-Advocacy Network meeting she attended. She is excited about being a member of SSAN and is deciding what workgroup she should join to contribute information to the network. She also shared her good experience with the conflict resolution training that was presented at the last SSAN meeting.
- Ellen and Bobby expressed interest in training other self-advocates regarding different Self-advocacy subjects, as well as informing people about the RAC, SDAC, SSAN and other opportunities to be heard as advocates.
- Ellen shared she received her COVID-19 shot.
 - Solano – Chen (none)
 - Sonoma – Vacant (none)
- Committee member vacancies – we are looking to fill the vacancy in Sonoma. If you know of anyone interested, please let us know.
- Lisa explained people with disabilities are welcome to join our committees regardless of skill level and abilities but must commit to 1 to 2 hours a month of participation.



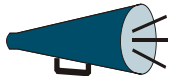
State Council Update

- People with Disabilities are a Vaccine priority.
- New Grant Cycle 44 Project: we have a new grant available. It has two qualifiers. One is Mental Health and the other is for Inclusive Education.
- Tobia's shared we have Emergency backpacks available if you attend the training. Ellen shared she is interested in being trained
- Next SDAC Statewide meeting is April 2021. You can find additional information for local training at <https://nbr.net/clients-service/self-determination/> and Statewide information at <https://scdd.ca.gov/ssdac/>



Goals: Provide additional information regarding COVID-19.

Announcements



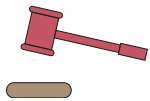
- March is Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month. Here is the link: [March is Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month | Special Needs Alliance](#)



Next Meeting Date

April 2021

Via Zoom



Adjournment

Adjourned at 12:30 p.m.