
AGENDA ITEM 6c.**LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC POLICY COMMITTEE SUMMARY**

Date of Meeting

January 16, 2024

Meeting's Focus

The Legislative and Public Policy Committee met on January 16th. The meeting's focus was to review the purpose of LPPC and provide information about the legislative and budget process to ensure that committee members know what will take place during the first quarter of the legislative session.

The Committee invited a guest speaker from the California Dental Association to provide a presentation about a \$50 million grant program that was established during the 2022 state budgeting process to improve the accessibility of dental offices and services. This agenda item will be delayed until a future meeting when more details are known about the state budget and when the grant program will begin. SCDD Executive Director Aaron Carruthers provided brief highlights of the Council's 2024 Program Performance Report (PPR), and committee members received updates on SCDD's activities related to the Self-Determination Program.

Actions

- The Committee approved the October 2023, Meeting Minutes

Future Meeting Dates

March 14, 2024