



## **STATE COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (SCDD)**

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

#### **NOTICE & AGENDA\***

**Date**

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

**Time**

Networking 5:15pm – 5:30p, Meeting 5:30pm – 8:00pm

**Locations**

This is a hybrid meeting: In-Person with Zoom / Teleconference options. Members of the public may participate telephonically, or by Zoom from any location. This meeting will feature live captioning, via Zoom.

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#### **Join In-Person:**

Hosted by Oakland City Hall, 1 Frank H Ogawa Plaza, Oakland City Hall, 3rd floor Council Chamber, Oakland, CA 94612 (Entrance on 14th Street)

#### **Or Join by Zoom:**

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### **5:30p Call to Order**

**Introductions / Welcomes**

**Establishment of Quorum**

**Witkin**



### **5:35p Approval of the April 2025 and June 2025**

**Meeting Minutes**

**Witkin**



### **5:40p 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 has 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. Legislative office elected officials, or staff may also introduce themselves or provide comment.



### **5:50p Member Reports**

**SCDD Bay Area Regional Advisory Committee (RAC)**

**& SCDD Councilmembers**

**Witkin**

Hear updates from RAC members and Councilmembers on their regional and statewide advocacy work, trends / needs in their county, and priorities.



### **6:10p Community Reports**

**Witkin**

- Family Resource Navigators (FRN)
  - An update on Supported Decision-Making Technical Assistance Program grant work
- People First Report
- Regional Center Reports
- County Developmental Disabilities Councils Reports
- Statewide Self-Advocacy Network (SSAN)
- National Council on Disability (NCD)



### **6:55p BREAK (5 mins)**



### **7p Legislative Office Comments**

**Witkin**

An invitation for legislative offices in attendance to provide brief statements, comments on emerging issues, or updates impacting their constituents from disability communities.



### **7:10p Real Input, Real Impact:**

**California State Plan Survey for 2027-2031:  
Open NOW!**

**Nicholau**

Help shape the future of services and supports for people with IDD in your state. The CA State Council is updating its five-year plan – and we want input from ALL Californians! Hear an overview of the State Council's State Plan Survey for 2027 -



2031. Take the survey to give your input and help us get the word out to others in your network about this contest before the **Oct 15 submission deadline**.



**7:30p Celebrating Outgoing Leaders &  
Their Service to the State Council**

**Nicholau**

Honor and celebrate the achievements and service of outgoing leaders who have completed their service with the State Council and the State Council's Bay Area Regional Advisory Committee:

Councilmember Nicole Adler, At-Large  
Councilmember Alex Reyes, Bay Area  
Regional Advisory Committee Vice-Chair, Marla Silversmith



**7:50p Other Announcements  
& Agenda Items for Future Meetings**

**Witkin**

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



**8:00p Meeting Adjourned**

**Witkin**

**\*All times indicated, and the order of business are approximate and subject to change. Any agenda items have the potential to be brought for a vote.**