



STATE COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
Sacramento Regional Office: Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) Notice/
Agenda for Special Planning Meeting

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DATE: Tuesday, October 14th, 2025

TIME: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Meeting Locations

In Person:

California State Council on Developmental Disabilities Headquarters

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- 1. CALL TO ORDER, Chair or Vice Chair (Both positions currently vacant)**
- 2. ESTABLISH QUORUM**
- 3. ISPIRATIONAL QUOTE, Peter Mendoza SCDD Staff**
- 4. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**
Lisa Hooks and Peter Mendoza-SCDD Staff
 - a. RAC Members: Roll Call, state name, and county affiliation.

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES, August 12th, 2025

7. MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

Under the **Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act**, members of the State Council on Developmental Disabilities (SCDD) and its Regional Advisory Committees cannot serve for more than six years. This term limit is set by statute (Welfare and Institutions Code § 4522) to ensure new voices and perspectives are regularly added to the Council's work.

Several SCDD Sacramento Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) members will be retiring today. We want to recognize and thank them for their dedicated service and the contributions they have made on behalf of self-advocates and their families in our region.

Those whom we would like to recognize are:

- Benita Shaw (Sacramento County)
- Diane Walker (Nevada County)
- Jensena Tran (Sutter County)
- Glenda Servantes (Yuba County)

8. REPORTS FROM RAC MEMBERS

(3 minutes each)

9. STATEWIDE SELF-ADVOCACY NETWORK (SSAN) UPDATE, Lisa Cooley

10. ALTA CALIFORNIA REGIONAL CENTER UPDATE, Alta Regional Center staff

11. BREAK (10 Minutes)

12. SACRAMENTO REGIONAL OFFICE UPDATE, Lisa Hooks, Regional Manager; Peter Mendoza, Community Program Specialist II; and Rondale Holloway, Office Technician

- a. Recent, current, and future activities
- b. Upcoming trainings and workshops
- c. Local, statewide Council updates

13. NATIONAL DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT AWARENESS MONTH (NDEAM)

In October 2025, we celebrate the 80th anniversary of National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM), an annual recognition of the positive impact of people with disabilities in the American workforce. This

yearly event began in 1945 as a weeklong national observance of the contributions of people with physical disabilities. In 1988, Congress designated the commemoration as NDEAM, which then evolved to acknowledge the importance of increasing opportunities for people with disabilities, including those with mental health conditions and other nonobvious disabilities, in the workforce. In 2001, ODEP was created and entrusted to administer NDEAM, including the selection and promotion of its annual theme.

For more information: <https://www.dol.gov/>

14. SCDD STATE PLAN SURVEY

SCDD develops a State Plan every five years to guide the work of the California State Council on Developmental Disabilities. The current State Plan focuses on three goals: Self-Advocacy, Systems Change, and Capacity-Building. Regional Advisory Committee members and community members will have an opportunity to ask questions, share priorities, and complete the survey to help shape the 2027–2031 Plan.

Survey Link: <https://scdd.ca.gov/stateplandevelopment>

15. PUBLIC COMMENT

- a. This item is for members of the public only to provide comments and/or present information on matters not on the agenda. Each person will be provided up to 3 minutes to speak.
- b. Public comments can be submitted via email prior to the meeting at sacramento@scdd.ca.gov and will be read by the Chair.

16. Future Meetings – Tuesday, December 9th, 2025

17. Meeting Adjournment

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