

SPECIAL MEETING

Meeting Date: October 24, 2019
Meeting Time: 1:00 PM-3:00 PM
Meeting Place: DDPC Office, 625 Silver Avenues, SW, First Floor, Suite 100,
Albuquerque

APPROVED AGENDA

All agenda times are estimates and deviations may occur
Some Council members may participate by phone

Thursday, October 24, 2019

1:00 PM Call to Order/Introduction of members and guests

1:20 PM **Action** item: Approve Agenda

1:30 PM Discussion of three questions:

Given the legislative priority of the Council: "Development and implementation of support and services for persons with developmental disabilities that enable...them to:

- (1) exert control and choice over their own lives;
- (2) achieve their greatest potential for independent and productive living by participating in inclusive community activities; and
- (3) live in their own homes...or in facilities located in their own communities and in contact with other persons in their communities.

- Is the Council's purpose to a) oversee the agency and its programs and staff, and b) to lead advocacy for persons with developmental disabilities?
- Should the Council's advocacy be organized around five key issues in the lives of people with developmental disabilities, namely:
 - Education
 - Employment
 - Housing
 - Health and Community Living
 - Legal and Civil Rights?
- Should the Council create committees to conduct advocacy on each of these issues?

2:30 PM **Action item:** Motion to approve and implement decisions reached during above discussion

2:45 PM Public Comment

2:55 PM Next meeting: November 8, 2019, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, DDPC Office

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