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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Nevada Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities (Nevada Revised Statute [NRS] 426.365)

Date and Time of Meeting: November 17th, 2014
9:00 a.m.

Location: Nevada Housing Division
1535 Hot Springs Road, #50
Carson City, NV 89706

Nevada Housing Division
7220 Bermuda Road, Ste. B
Las Vegas, NV 89119

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Agenda

- I. Welcome and Introductions
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- II. Public Comment (No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. Public comment at the beginning and end of the agenda may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the chairperson. Members of the public may comment on matters not appearing on this agenda or may offer comment on specific agenda items. Comments may be discussed by the Board but no action may be taken. The matter may be placed on a future agenda for action)
- III. Approval of Minutes from the September 30, 2014 Meeting (**For Possible Action**)
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson

- IV. Presentation from Northern Nevada Disability Access
Amy Auerbach, Owner and Founder, Northern Nevada Disability Access
- V. Presentation from Nevada Early Intervention Services (NEIS) and Update from the Interagency Coordinating Council Meeting (ICC)
Julie Kotchevar, Deputy Administrator, ADSD
Brook Adie, Autism Treatment Assistance Program, ADSD
- VI. Discussion on Deaf Education Policies and Providing Appropriate Interpreters
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
Renee Hemmasi, Education Programs Professional, Department of Education
- VII. Update on Housing Locator form the Department of Business and Industry Housing Division
Nina Miller, Chief of Operations, Social Serve
Betsy Fadali, Nevada Housing Division
- VIII. Update and Follow Up, Including Any Recommendations for Further Action On Legislative Changes **(For Possible Action)**
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
Jon Sasser, Commission Member
- IX. Update and Discussion on CSPD Subcommittee on Personal Assistance for Persons with Severe Functional Disabilities (PAS) **(For Possible Action)**
Tina Gerber-Winn, Deputy Administrator, ADSD
Charles Damon, Healthcare Coordinator, ADSD
- X. Update, Report and Possible Discussion on the Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation (BVR) Programs and Performance **(For Possible Action)**
Shelley Hendren, Administrator, Rehabilitation Division
- XI. Update on Caseload Evaluation Organization Numbers, Discussion and Possible Recommendations from Council **(For Possible Action)**
Tina Gerber-Winn, Deputy Administrator, ADSD
- XII. Discussion and Update on CSPD Subcommittee on Communication Services for Persons Who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing and People with Speech Disabilities (SOCS)
Julie Balderson, ADSD
- XIII. Discussion on Recommendations Made by the CSPD Nominating Subcommittee for Filling Vacant CSPD and Subcommittee Membership Positions **(For Possible Action)**
Bill Heavilin, Nominating Subcommittee Chair

- XIV. Discussion and Possible Determination of Issues and Agenda Items to be Considered or Deliberated at the Next Meeting (For Possible Action)
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- XV. Confirm Dates for Future Meetings (For Possible Action)
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson
- XVI. Public Comment (May Include General Announcements by Commissioners) (No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. Public comment at the beginning and end of the agenda may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the chairperson. Members of the public may comment on matters not appearing on this agenda or may offer comment on specific agenda items. Comments may be discussed by the Board but no action may be taken. The matter may be placed on a future agenda for action)
- XVII. Adjournment
Brian Patchett, Commission Chairperson

Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities Members

Brian Patchett (Chair), Mary Bryant (Co-Chair), Bill Heavilin, Gary Olsen, Jodi Sabal, Jon Sasser, Karen Taycher, Nicole Schomberg, Jennifer Pharr, Shelley Hendren

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1. Aging and Disability Services Division, Carson City Office, 3416 Goni Road, Suite D-132, Carson City, NV 89706
2. Aging and Disability Services Division, Las Vegas Office, 1860 East Sahara Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89104
3. Aging and Disability Services Division, Reno Office, 445 Apple Street, Suite 104, Reno, NV 89502
4. Aging and Disability Services Division, Elko Office, 1010 Ruby Vista Drive, Suite 104, Elko, NV 89801
5. Nevada Community Enrichment Program, 2820 West Charleston Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89146
6. Southern Nevada Center for Independent Living, 6039 El Dora Street H-8, Las Vegas, NV 89101
7. Disability Resource Center, So. E. Greg St., Suite 102 Sparks, NV 89431
8. Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 North Stewart Street, Carson City, NV 89706
9. Desert Regional Center, 1391 South Jones Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89146
10. Sierra Regional Center, 605 South 21st Street, Reno, NV 89431
11. Rural Regional Center, 1665 Old Hot Springs Road, Carson City, NV 89706
12. Northern Nevada Center for Independent Living, 999 Pyramid Way, Sparks, NV 89431
13. Dept. of Health and Human Services, 4126 Technology Way, Carson City, NV 89706
14. Early Intervention Services, 2667 Enterprise Road, Reno, NV 89512

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