

Report to the Task Force on Alzheimer's Disease

April 1, 2016

Commission to Study the Administration of Guardians in Nevada's Courts

The Commission continues to listen to public comment regarding personal experiences at the beginning of every meeting. All of the meeting information, including recordings of the public comment, can be found at:

http://nvcourts.gov/AOC/Committees_and_Commissions/Guardianship/Overview/.

To date, no legislative action regarding guardianships has been identified by the Commission. Most of the discussions have been designed to give the members of the Commission information on the numerous facets of guardianship. Much of this has been very technical, including data collection, statistics, what other states are doing, and procedures in the courts.

There are 30 recommendations for reform being considered by the Commission. They sometimes change with the new information that is presented and subsequent discussions at the meetings. To date about half of them have been adopted by the Commission.

Three more meetings are scheduled, on April 1, April 26 and May 20. It will be after these meetings that recommendations for legislative action may be possible.

If you would like to make suggestions to the Commission, or to provide information, I suggest that you either be at one of the meetings and speak during public comment or send an email to Stephanie Heying, Court Services Analyst at shying@nvcourts.nv.gov. She is working with Justice Hardesty on agendas.