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### **MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA**

Name of Organization: Subcommittee on Communication Services for Persons Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing (SOCS) and Persons with Speech Disabilities of the Nevada Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities (Nevada Revised Statute [NRS] 427.750)

Date and Time of Meeting: January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2015  
9:00 a.m.

Videoconference Location: Nevada Public Utilities Commission  
1150 E. William St., Room B  
Carson City, NV 89701

Videoconference Location: Nevada Public Utilities Commission  
9075 W. Diablo Drive, Suite 250, Room B  
Las Vegas, NV 89148

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### **Agenda**

- I. Welcome, Roll Call and Introductions  
Gary Olsen, Chair
- 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. Please state and spell your name for the record. Public comment may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the chair.)

- III. Approval of the Minutes from the October 17, 2014 Meeting **(For Possible Action)**  
Staff, Aging and Disability Services Division
- IV. Report From Relay Nevada  
Lisa Furr, Hamilton Relay
- V. Discussion on Recommendations Made by the CSPD Nominating Subcommittee for Filling Vacant CSPD Subcommittee Membership Positions and Discussion and Possible Recommendations on Recruitment Efforts **(For Possible Action)**  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson
- VI. Program update  
Julie Balderson
- VII. Report from The Interpreting Issues Work Group of the Subcommittee on Communication Services for Persons Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing and Persons with Speech Disabilities Meeting on October 18<sup>th</sup>.  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson  
Angela Greer, Subcommittee Member
- VIII. Update, Report and Possible Recommendations Relating to Working Groups and Previously Established Objectives **(For Possible Action)**  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson
- Interpreter issues
  - Education
  - Strategic plan/ Town Hall Meetings
  - Assistive Tech.
- IX. Update, Report and Possible Recommendations Relating to Appointed Liaisons to Other State Advisory Groups **(For Possible Action)**  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson
- Assistive Technology Council  
Eli Schwartz, Subcommittee Member
  - State Independent Living Council  
Mike Eifert, Subcommittee Member
  - Governor's Council on Developmental Disabilities  
David Daviton
  - Rehab Council  
Greg Ivie, Subcommittee Member
  - Department of Education Board Meetings  
Cynthia Roller, Subcommittee Member
- X. Discussion on Wireless Bridge Devices and Possible Action on Development of Wireless Option **(For Possible Action)**  
Julie Balderson, Aging and Disability Services Division  
Mike Eifert, Subcommittee Member

- XI. Report from Equipment Distribution Program  
Julie Balderson, ADSD
- XII. Consider Agenda Items for Next Meeting (For Possible Action)  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson
- XIII. Schedule Next Meeting (For Possible Action)  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson
- XIV. 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. Please state and spell you name for the record. Public comment may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the chair.)
- XV. Adjournment  
Gary Olsen, Chairperson

**Current Subcommittee on Communication Services Members**

Gary Olsen (Chairperson), Julie Balderson, Angela Greer, Cynthia Roller, Michael Eifert, Greg Ivie, and Eli Schwartz

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***Agenda Posted at the Following Locations:***

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. Southern Nevada Center for Independent Living, 6039 El Dora Street, Suite H-8, Las Vegas, NV 89101
6. Deaf and Hard of Hearing Advocacy Resource Center, 2575 Westwind Rd., Suite C, Las Vegas, NV 89146
7. Northern Nevada Center for Independent Living, 999 Pyramid Way, Sparks, NV 89431
8. Deaf and Hard of Hearing Advocacy Resource Center, 999 Pyramid Way, Sparks, NV 89431
9. Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 North Stewart Street, Carson City, NV 89706

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