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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Nevada Commission on Aging:
Legislative and Policy Subcommittee
(Nevada Revised Statute [NRS] 427A.034)

Date and Time of Meeting: January 27th, 2022 | 1:00 pm

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1. ROLL CALL

Chuck Duarte, Chair

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

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Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name and provide the secretary with written comments.)

3. Approval of Minutes of the April 28, 2021 Legislative Subcommittee Meeting and the July 8, 2021 Policy Subcommittee Meeting **(For Possible Action)**
4. Discussion, prioritization and approval of recommendations to the Commission on Aging for possible action to support legislative and policy changes. **(For Possible Action)**
 - Chuck Duarte, Chair
 - Jennifer Richards, Chief Elder and Disability Rights Attorney, ADSD
 - A. Increasing Home and Community Based Medicaid rates **(presented 7/8/21)**
 - B. Nurse to Resident Ratios in Skilled Nursing Facilities **(presented 7/8/21)**
 - C. Adding Home Delivered Meals to the Frail Elderly (FE) Waiver **(presented 3/31/21)**
 - D. Funding for Home and Community Based Services to eliminate the waitlist **(presented 3/31/21)**
 - E. Increasing the Personal Needs Allowance **(presented 3/31/21 & 7/8/21)**
 - F. Dementia crisis services **(Transmitted by Commission to Legislative Subcommittee)**
 - G. Vulnerable Adult Protection Orders **(Transmitted to Legislative Subcommittee by Commission)**
 - H. Elder Abuse Fatality Review Teams **(Transmitted to Legislative Subcommittee by Commission)**
 - I. APS Search Warrants **(Transmitted to Legislative Subcommittee by Commission)**
5. Presentation of the following concepts and discussion and approval of recommendations to the Commission on Aging for possible action to support legislative and policy changes. **(For Possible Action)**
 - Chuck Duarte, Chair
 - Sheri Rasmussen, Social Services Program Specialist III, DWSS
 - A. State supplemental program for individuals with disabilities
 - B. State Guardianship Model
6. Review, discuss and approve tentative agenda for the next meeting **(For Possible Action)**
 - Chuck Duarte, Chair
7. Next Meeting Date – Tentative Meeting Date, April 2022
8. 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. Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name and provide the secretary with written comments.)

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