

# Nevada Commission on Aging (COA)

## MEETING NOTICE

**Date:** January 28, 2026

**Time:** 1:00pm

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## AGENDA

**Items may be taken out of order, combined for consideration, and/or removed from the agenda at the Chairperson's discretion.**

### **1. Roll Call & Opening Statement**

**2. 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. To provide public comment telephonically, dial +1 (775) 321-6111. When prompted to provide the meeting ID, enter 913 042 485#. Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person. People making comments will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record, spelling their last name, and providing the Administrative Support Staff with any written comments.

**3. For Possible Action:** For Possible Vote Approval of Minutes of May 15, 2025, meeting.

**4. Presentation and Discussion:** Member Introductions and Presentation

- **For Possible Action:** Presentation, Discussion and Possible Vote on provider enrollment process, requirements to be a Case Management Provider, and challenges faced to enroll new providers.

Ellen Fraiss-Wilcox, Social Services Program Specialist, Nevada Medicaid  
Gladys Cook, Social Services Program Specialist, Nevada Medicaid  
Lucile Wroldsen, Management Analyst, Nevada Medicaid

**5. Presentation and Discussion:** Administrators Report

**6. For Possible Action:** COA Legislative and Policy Subcommittee Updates, including presentation, discussion and possible vote regarding:

- NRS439.630 report priorities pertaining to Older Adults
- Older American Act Reauthorization as it relates to older Americans and the supportive services they receive.
- Impacts of Federal Reconciliation Bill as it relates to Medicaid

Deanne O'Rear-Cameron, Subcommittee Chair

- **Presentation and Discussion:** ADSD Office of the Advocacy Rights Attorney Overview, Current Issues and Bill Updates for AB 161 and 461 from the 2025 Session.

Shauna Brennan, Advocacy Rights Attorney

**7. Presentation and Discussion:** ADSD Program Update

A. Office of Community Living – Community Service Updates LaDonne Knighten, Social Services Chief, ADSD

- Office of Community Living- Intake Updates, Arianna Morales-Ramos, Social Services Manager, ADSD

B. Ombudsman Report – Marie Coe, Manager, Long Term Care Ombudsman Program, ADSD

C. Adult Protective Services Updates – Robin Tejada, Social Services Chief, ADSD

**11. For Possible Action:** Discuss and potential vote on 2026 COA meeting dates and times.

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**13. Adjournment**

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