

Chairperson's Report July 2019 Council Meeting

Committee Appointments Made

- Education/Employment Committee: Amy Donarski and Michael Norman
- Membership Committee: Mike Billings, Jill Hano, Hyacinth McKee. As the Council's Vice-Chair, Robert Paddy chairs the Membership Committee.
- Nominating Committee (announced via email on April 23rd): Bambi Polotzola, Mitch Iddins, Julie Foster Hagan, Alan Coulter, and Jill Demeritt. (Alan and Jill were subsequently unable to serve.)

Stipends Approved

Stipends were approved for the following Council members to attend the National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities Conference in New Orleans:

Carmen Cetnar	\$880
Lillian DeJean	\$1,080
Jill Hano	\$590
Steven Nguyen	<u>\$618</u>
Total	\$3168

There is a zero balance in the stipend fund for the remainder of FFY19.

Testimony

I testified before the House Appropriations Committee and the Senate Finance Committee on behalf of the Council in support of the waiver rate restoration, TEFRA, equitable funding for the lowest per capita funded districts/authorities and SPAS.

Meetings Attended

- Executive Committee - April 4
- NACDD Workgroup on Cultural and Linguistic Diversity - April 4
- Appropriations Committee re: LDH Budget - Yellow shirt day - April 9
- Executive committee April 10
- State Interagency Coordinating Council (SICC) - April 11
- Appropriations Committee re: HB105 - Yellow shirt day - April 17
- House Health and Welfare Committee re: HB199 - Yellow shirt day - April 24
- Disability Services Day at the Capitol – May 1
- NACDD Workgroup on Cultural and Linguistic Diversity - May 3
- State As a Model Employer (SAME) Taskforce- May 10
- House Education Committee re: HB283 - Yellow shirt day – May 14
- Capital Area Human Services District DD Regional Advisory Committee - May 14
- OCDD System Transformation Core Stakeholders Group – May 15
- House & Governmental Affairs Committee re: HB283 - Yellow shirt day May 21
- Senate Finance Committee re: HB105 - Yellow shirt day May 24

- Senate Health and Welfare Committee re: HB199 - Yellow shirt day - May 29
- Senate Education re: HB283 - Yellow shirt day May 30
- Meeting with Sandee Winchell re: NACDD Conference - May 30
- Senate Education re: HB283 - Yellow shirt day - May 31
- Children's Cabinet Advisory Board – June 11
- SICC Executive Committee- June 13
- Governor's Advisory Council on Disability Affairs – June 18
- Children's Cabinet Meeting June 25

The Executive Committee will meet on July 17th. That committee report will be provided in a separate document at the Council meeting.