

## **Chairperson's Report October 2019 Council Meeting**

### **Stipends Approved**

Stipends were approved for the following Council members to attend the NADD Conference in New Orleans:

Hyacinth McKee	\$385
Amy Donarski	<u>\$565</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$950</b>

There is a \$2,050 balance in the stipend fund for the remainder of FFY20.

### **Partners Selection Committee**

Randall Brown, Mike Billings, Carmen Cetnar, Jill Hano, Steven Nguyen, and Bambi Poltzoła were asked to serve. I will also serve.

### **National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities Conference**

I represented the Council at this national conference in New Orleans in July. I opened the meeting by welcoming everyone to Louisiana. I was honored to receive one of two Champions of Equal Opportunity Awards for self-advocacy and was able to give an acceptance speech.

### **Meetings Attended**

- OCDD System Transformation Core Stakeholders Group – July 2
- National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities Conference – July 10-11
- Capital Area Human Services District DD Regional Advisory Committee – July 16
- Council Meeting – July 17-18
- Meeting with Council staff – July 19
- Meeting with Shawn Fleming – July 22
- Community Provider Association Legislative Appreciation Event – July 31
- Statewide Independent Living Council – August 1
- Meeting with Dr. Wilson – August 2
- OCDD System Transformation Core Stakeholders Group – August 6
- Children's Cabinet Advisory Board – August 6
- LaCAN Member Meeting – August 17
- Meeting with Bruce Parker and Bambi Poltzoła – September 5
- State Employment Leadership Network – September 11
- Windmills Training – September 17-18
- Governor's Advisory Council on Disability Affairs – September 17
- Meeting with Supt. Corey Wilson and BREC staff – September 19

**The Executive Committee will meet on October 15<sup>th</sup>. That committee report will be provided in a separate document at the Council meeting.**