

March 24, 2025

## **MEMORANDUM:**

TO: Developmental Disabilities Council Members

FROM: Ebony Haven

**Executive Director** 

RE: April 2025 Developmental Disabilities Council Meeting

The Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council's October Council Meeting will be held **April 30 – May 1, 2025.** All Council meetings are open to the public, and all citizens are welcome to attend virtually and/or in person. The anchor location will be at the Bluebonnet Library located at **9200 Bluebonnet Blvd. Room #2,** in Baton Rouge. **Please note the adjusted schedule for Council meetings below due to the change in location.** 

Meeting documents will be posted on the <u>Council's website</u> upon receipt, along with the Zoom Meeting Registration links for those wishing to participate virtually. For more information on how to register for Council meetings, please see the step-by-step instructions at the end of this announcement.

As always, all efforts will be made to stream the meeting live on the Council's <u>YouTube channel</u>. The Council's <u>Teleconference/Videoconference Protocols</u> for conducting Council meetings includes information on how to submit written public comment. All comments received **by noon the day before a meeting** will be shared with committee members. Click <u>HERE</u> to submit a written public comment. The ZOOM Q&A feature will only be available as an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accommodation.

The Council and committees will meet as follows:

## Wednesday, April 30, 2025

10:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Executive Committee

12:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Self-Determination / Community Inclusion

2:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Act 378 Subcommittee

4:15 pm. – 6:00 p.m. Education / Employment Committee

Thursday, May 1, 2025

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Council Meeting



Closed captioning will be provided during this meeting. If you require another access service to fully participate or have any questions about accessibility, please contact <a href="mailto:Bridgette.Talley@la.gov">Bridgette.Talley@la.gov</a> at least 3 business days prior to the meeting or call (225) 342-6804 to ensure you are provided with the best experience possible.

## **Zoom Registration Instructions**

- Step 1. Click on Council's Website-2025 Meetings Page.
- Step 2. Click the yellow "REGISTER" button next to the meeting you wish to attend via Zoom.
- Step 3. Fill in required fields with your personal information (First Name, Last Name, Email Address).
- Step 4. Click the blue "Register" button to submit form.
- Step 5. The link to join the meeting will be visible immediately and it will be sent to your email address.

Please email <u>Bridgette.Talley@la.gov</u> or call (225) 342-6804 if you need any further assistance registering or joining an upcoming Council meeting.