



March 18, 2026

MEMORANDUM:

TO: Developmental Disabilities Council Members

FROM: Ebony Haven  
Executive Director

RE: April 2026 Developmental Disabilities Council Meetings

The Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council's third quarter committee and business meetings will be held throughout the month of April (please see full schedule below). The anchor location for all meetings will be at the Council's Office located at **4354 S. Sherwood Forest Blvd. Suite 200**, in Baton Rouge. **Please use the South Entrance of the building.**

Meeting documents will be posted on the [Council's website](#) 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 [YouTube channel](#). The Council's [Teleconference/Videoconference Protocols](#) 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 [HERE](#) 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 1, 2026**

12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Self-Determination / Community Inclusion

**Wednesday, April 8, 2026**

1:00 pm. – 3:00 p.m. Education / Employment Committee

**Wednesday, April 15, 2026**

12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Act 378 Subcommittee

**Thursday, April 30, 2026**

8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Executive Committee

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

### Public Access and Accommodations

All Council meetings are open to the public and can be attended in person or virtually.

Closed captioning will be available. If you need another type of help, email [Bridgette.Talley@la.gov](mailto:Bridgette.Talley@la.gov) or call (225) 342-6804 at least 5 business days before the meeting.

To send a written comment, click [HERE](#). Comments sent by **noon the day before** the meeting will be shared with the committee.

### How to Register on Zoom

Step 1. Go to the Council's website and open the [2026 Meetings](#) page.

Step 2. Find the meeting you want and click the "**Register**" button.

Step 3. Type your first name, last name, and email.

Step 4. Click the blue "**Register**" button.

Step 5. You will see the Zoom link right away, and it will also be sent to your email.

Need help registering?

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- Phone: (225) 342-6804