**State of California**

**Health and Human Services Agency**

**Department of Rehabilitation (DOR)**

**California Vendor’s Policy Committee (CVPC)**

## Meeting Notice and Agenda

**Wednesday, February 1, 2023**

1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.\*

First Day, Day 1 of 2

DOR Los Angeles office, 888 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA, 90017

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**Agenda**

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**Day 1, Wednesday, February 1, 2023**

**Item 1:** **CVPC Roll Call and Introduction of DOR Staff and the Public**

(1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.)

Max Duarte, CVPC Chair. The chair will remind attendees to mute their phones when not speaking by using the mute function on their phone and/or select \*6, which is Zoom’s mute function. The Chair will conduct a roll call and introduce DOR Staff and other guests.

**Item 2: Executive Committee Reports,** **Chair’s Report**

(1:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.)

Max Duarte, Chair. The Chair will lead a discussion on issues related to the BEP and the success of BEP Vendors.

Public Comment

**Vice Chair’s Report**

Michael Hatch, Vice-Chair. The Vice-Chair will discuss action items, and new procedures that will be utilized to keep action items up to date.

Public Comment

**Secretary-Treasurer’s Report**

Sandy Balani, Secretary Treasurer. The Secretary-Treasurer will lead the CVPC in reviewing and approving the **December 14th and 15th, 2022 California Vendors Policy Committee (CVPC) Meeting** minutes via a motion and provide a report regarding the status of the training seminar fund and non-profit status.

Public Comment

**Department and Business Enterprises Program (BEP) Reports**

Sue Pelbath, Deputy Director, Specialized Services Division

Michael Thomas, Assistant Deputy Director, Specialized Services Division

Kelly Snow, Program Manager, BEP

Susanna Bishop, Operations Manager, BEP

Leadership will give updates on DOR and BEP

Public Comment

**Break**

(2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.)

**Item 3:** **Challenges Facing BEP Vendors**

(2:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.)

BEP Delegates and members of the public.

Public Comment

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**Adjourn**

The meeting will adjourn at 5:00 p.m.\*

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