Department of Rehabilitation

# DEAF & HARD OF HEARING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thursday, June 16, 2022

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**MEETING LOCATION:**

**Department of Rehabilitation**

**Zoom Meeting**

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Agenda Times - Times are approximate and may be adjusted if pressing new business is brought to the attention of the committee.

MEETING AGENDA

Welcome & Roll Call

Callie Frye, Chair

The Chair will welcome the attendees and conduct a roll call and discuss “housekeeping” requirements for the meeting.

Public comment

Review and Approval of March 10, 2022 Meeting Minutes

Callie Frye, Chair

The Chair will call for a motion to approve the minutes of the DHHAC meeting held in March 2022.

Public comment

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services (DHHS) Section Report

Michael Thomas, Assistant Deputy Director, Specialized Services Division (SSD)

Craig Rubenstein, Program Manager, DHHS

Members will receive an update on the programs and services within DHHS.

Public comment

DHHAC bylaws

Callie Frye, Chair

Craig Rubenstein, Program Manager, DHHAS

The committee will review the DHHAC bylaws and will have an opportunity to ask questions and provide input.

Public comment

Discussion on Allyship

Defining Allyship and incorporating an Action Plan for its Implementation

# Callie Frye, Chair

Tiffany Barlow, Interpreter Coordinator

Public comment

**The Intersection of Retention Plans and Order of Selection**

Jessica Grove, Deputy Director Vocational Rehabilitation Policy and Resource Division (VRPRD)

Jessica Grove will provide an overview of the related policy landscape for consideration and future discussion due to fiscal challenges of VR agencies.

Public comment

**SignGlasses**

Emmett Hassen, Senior Account Executive, SignGlasses

Members will learn about technology that provides interpreting services on demand through the use of SignGlasses.

Public comment

****Open Forum****

**Callie Frye, Chair**

* Attendees will have an opportunity to suggest items for the agenda for the meeting scheduled for September 15, Thursday from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM.
* Joe Xavier, Director, DOR will make a presentation on Pathways to a High School Diploma at the September meeting.

**Public comment**

Adjournment

The meeting will adjourn at 4:00 PM.

**NOTES**

Time frames are approximate - meeting will adjourn upon conclusion of business.

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