

DC Developmental Disabilities Council

April 28, 2011
441 4TH STREET, NW
CONFERENCE ROOM # 950 NORTH
WASHINGTON, DC 20001
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Mission: The Developmental Disabilities (DD) Council of the District of Columbia seeks to strengthen the voice of people with developmental disabilities and their families in DC in support of greater independence, inclusion, empowerment and the pursuit of life as they choose. We strive to create change that eliminates discrimination and removes barriers to full inclusion through our advocacy.

- I. Welcome and Introductions (10 minutes)
- II. Review Suggested Revisions & Approval of March 24 Minutes (5 minutes)
- III. Chair Report – Tina Campanella (5 minutes)
 - a. New 5 Year Plan and Expectations for Summer Months
 - b. May 25-26: Social Role Valorization Event
 - c. Council Member Business Cards
 - d. Other Thoughts
- IV. Executive Director Report (5 minutes)
 - a. Update: Community Service and Recreational Opportunities and Self Determination and Advocacy RFQs
 - b. Update: Policymaking and Advocacy Program RFP
 - c. March-April 2011 Expenditure Report
- V. DD Council Presentation: DDA Needs Assessment Report Update – Chas Moseley, NASDDDS (15 minutes)
- VI. Introduction, Review, and Discussion: DDC's New 5 Year State Plan (2012-16 Draft) (45 minutes)
 - a. March 28 and April 2 Community Forums
 - b. Final Survey Results
 - c. Next Steps

- VII. DD Council Presentations/Discussions (15 minutes)
- a. Benefits Counseling Services – Amy Wallish, Certified Business Counselor, Full Circle Employment Solutions and BOND Project
 - b. May 6: Submit your proposal to present at the 2011 TASH Conference – Haley Kimmet
November 30 – December 3, 2011 in Atlanta, GA
Topics include:
 - ◇ Inclusive Education
 - ◇ Community Living
 - ◇ Employment
 - ◇ Human Rights
 - ◇ Diversity & Cultural Competency
 - ◇ Cross-Topical Areas (including self-advocacy, youth leadership, family issues, sexuality, augmentative and alternative communication and other topics)Visit www.tash.org/2011TASH to learn more! Contact (202) 540-9015 or conference@tash.org with questions.

- VIII. Upcoming DD Council Related Events
- a. May 25-26: Social Role Valorization Event
 - b. June 14-16: 22nd Annual APSE National Conference
 - c. July 25-26: ADD Technical Assistance Institute
 - d. July 30: Project Action! Advocacy Conference
 - e. August 15: New 5 Year State Plan (2012-16) Finalized and Submitted to ADD
 - f. Other Events Announcements

IX. Closure

Please Note – May 19th: Next DD Council Meeting at the One Judiciary Building; 441 4th ST NW, 3-5:00 pm Room Number to be determined