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So, one thing I, I really want to note. I'll probably see this a few times throughout the meeting. So I apologize.

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If it gets repetitive anyone who is joined as an attendee is is on mute.

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So and and you don't have and you're not able to mute and on mute yourself in the meeting. I will unmute everybody during public comment, period.

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then I would ask that you proactively mute yourself on your phone or on if you're on your computer,

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keep yourself on mute on your computer just.

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So it doesn't get too chaotic.

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Well,

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we'll see how that goes our best anyone who is listed as a panelist that is who the appointed D council members are and as a quick

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refresher dB council members are appointed by the mayor.

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It is a formal appointment as part of boards and commissions. So these are the people that that have been appointed to represent the developmental disability community in DC.

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So, it's DT council members, and then duty Council staff, which is me and two other staff, and we'll introduce ourselves as well as the presenters for today.

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So that so, people who are the panelists have the ability to show video and to mute and unmute themselves.

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we will do our best with that for attendees even though you cannot unmute yourself outside of public comment,

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you can ask questions either in the chat,

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or in the Q and a box.

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Our council member Kaylee has graciously agreed to help us with. Q.

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and a today,

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so she's gonna be monitoring that Q and a box and,

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and she'll answer questions if she can and if not,

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we'll just make sure that Carol as our chair and facilitator of the meeting,

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or I know that there's a question.

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So that we can make sure it gets addressed.

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So, thank you kayley for that. What else?

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if anybody who has joined the meeting as an attendee,

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and you are not currently able to share your video,

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and you need to share your video in order to make a public comments in,

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let me know.

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So, I have my email on this slide as well as my cell phone. You can text a question to that, or you can text me a message and I would just need to know your names.

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So that I can promote you to panelists. So that you can then share video.

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So,

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a lot of information I'm pause for just a second and another thing about accessibility is that we need to make sure everybody has enough time to to speak,

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especially in these virtual format.

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So,

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I'm gonna pause right there and see if anybody has any questions about the,

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the platform we're using about WebEx or about an accessibility,

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either question or a need that you want to request of the group right now.

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Alison, this is Katie, and I just want to note that if you have a question, and you want to flag it, instead of texting, Alison, you can also posted it in the chat box and I would be happy to help flag it for you.

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So, we don't have to fumble around with her phone numbers all that.

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Thank you.

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Great anything else? Oh, wait. Oh, is it Fernando?

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Yeah, yeah and you said I'm on a I'm not going to do a split up and you can show your video. If you want.

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That's what it means to be on the panel because your council member you can show your video. So, people can see, you know who you are.

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Well, I'm not the question. I don't know.

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Usually, whenever it's done at the bottom long on the edge, you'll see the microphone and then you'll see the video.

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This one, I don't know should be the second button. Bernard, after the microphone.

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Second button from the left.

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Are you still in the same? The you're still on your tablet.

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Yeah, I'm still my okay.

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We saw you a minute ago. We're not. We're not. I'm on my tablet too. So it's set up a little bit differently. I think, from a computer I have to presell my screen to get the thing at the bottom to come up.

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And the thing that looks like a camera slash, do you have to press that and have a video come on? That's what I'm saying. I don't see the the video just added to show it.

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Yep no, it doesn't stay on. I have to press it and it'll come on briefly and then.

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Available for you to click box. Oh, no.

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I don't know whatever got it got it. Good. We see you. Okay.

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Now we're pretty good about what you see my dog. Yeah, you shared it Bernard, whatever you did. You're good. Just did it leave it like that.

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So, Bernard, since we're talking to you, why don't you go ahead and introduce yourself we're gonna go around the table with the council members and then the staff. Okay. Okay.

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But what we got want me to talk about, just just quickly name your name and your your main affiliations, your main memberships.

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My name is the deed account,

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the one thing for disability people from the Google home and check to see,

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and I see the work.

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See, the staff is working with them and.

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What else I need to get done? They need that don't you know, I don't like it with the with the stab is riding in the front driving the van.

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Then I want to see is driving the van in order that see. Okay, and that'd be back in the back, but none, the second, the first see that individual's.

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And so you don't wanna be sitting date and somebody sitting in the back that needed to sit down and go back and calm down. And that's what we need to start doing. Well, it's not like, for established dive into.

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That's what I'm saying, that we're not going to it is for the job to do it. That's what I see. Okay. Okay. Great. Thank you.

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Bernard nassery is the next person I see. So I'll just go to Sharif. Okay, my name is remarry and I'm a counselor for the duties Council, and I move all the parent, the parent and PC advocacy partners.

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Right amber, you're the next one I see.

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Is it.

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Can you do can you say a one more time on mute? I think I. hi.

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Do you see can I,

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if I repeat sure we got it.

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So amber, she was a D council member, and she works for the center, the DC center for independent living.

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Yes, thank you. Thanks Angie. Sorry. Thanks amber. Yeah. angie's the next person. I see. Good afternoon agency. I'll be other than being on the details.

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I'm also on a I work for the nonprofit foundation and my.

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Right. Thank you Lisa. Hi, everyone.

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And Lisa Mathews a member of the DT Council, and I also serve on a board for the sibling leadership network peace university center.

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Robin, hi, this is Rob. Sorry, I was on mute occupational hazard.

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This is Robin chamfered and I'm pleased to be here this afternoon representing the Georgetown University Center for excellence in developmental disabilities,

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where I focus on helping the council and other disability stakeholders advocate on local disability.

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Right? We collaborate with all of the local DC disability advocates to advocate on local DC policy issues.

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Thank you Kelly. Hello I'm Kelly was saying, oh, I'm a community member. I am assembling and I am part of DC advocacy partners.

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Thank you, ma'am. Dds. Emily. Are you there? Hi there? Yes I'm here. It's Emily orange team.

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I'm the person centered thinking project manager for the department on disability services. I work within the office of policy planning and innovation, and very happy as always to be included and invited in your meeting. Thank you. I think our meeting.

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Excuse me? That's the oh. Things just moved around for me. Let's say.

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This is yet America. I'm a DT council member community member. I have a son Aden, who is sixteen soon to be seventeen with autism, intellectual disability diagnosis. So that's what brings me to the council also.

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The advocacy partners happened to be here. Thanks, Sarah.

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Hi, everybody, I'm from school, which is a local nonprofit member of the DD Council.

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And what brings me to the D Council, is that I am really focused on youth voice and education.

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Thank you Heather.

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Good afternoon Heather show the clinical director Barbara, the aging and community living, and the departments representative on the council.

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Wonderful. Okay. Mr. Thornton.

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Can you hear me again? Yes. Mr.

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Co vice chair and I served as the CO chair so I'm just happy to be here and I'm just amazed on the technology that we're using today. So I'm looking forward to having a good meeting.

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Well, and I, I believe I have a called on all the other council members. Have I missed a council member.

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Okay, and then again, I'm Carol Griggs beyond the chair. I'm also on the family support Council, and I'm a family member with a son who's twenty seven and receiving services from DDS.

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And with that, I'd like to turn it back over to Alison for a moment to introduce the staff, including a new stuff. Hi, everybody, I'm Alison white.

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I'm the executive director of your DC developmental disabilities counsel,

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and I hear you and we have a small,

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but mighty staff of three.

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And so I'm very excited. Welcome a new staff member onto our team.

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And I know she will introduce yourself briefly, but I will just very quickly say that. She's, she's been with us a little over a month.

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Now, her name is loose and it means light in Spanish and she certainly has been a light in on our team already.

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And has really helped us is helping us get organized and bringing a lot of amazing knowledge and skills.

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She's worked for the Puerto Rico D Council for quite some time, and is very familiar with the capital network and is already doing an amazing job working with us.

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So, let me give her a minute to introduce herself.

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And we have our our longest serving staff who is always reliably here with us, and always working through these different challenges and has really taken on the technology challenges during this time.

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So, Denise McCain, our wonderful staff assistant. Is there anything you wanna say, Denise?

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You're gonna say hello to everybody space say yeah, you too. Thank you. Okay, great. Well, thanks so much everybody.

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Now, at this time, in the in the agenda, we want to introduce the members of the public, but as we did last time, we're gonna ask that if you're visible on WebEx.

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If you have video that you please just entered your name in the chatbox, we're doing this just for the sake of time.

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I understand though that we have some people who are on by telephone, and that they won't be able to enter their names in the chatbox. Obviously, so, could we go around the room for the people who are on the phone place?

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So, I am, this is Alison again, I am on the people who appear to have joined by phone. So if you're on the phone, you should be on mute. Now.

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Okay.

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Alright, go ahead and introduce yourself.

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My name is,

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I am the,

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a commission of for the also we have invitation council and I was invited by Matt,

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attend this meeting and have a vested interest in disability because doctor studies I do in disability.

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And beside that, I'm very passionate about working with the group which I really admire appreciate.

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That's all I do agree to your name. One more time I am your name I'll send for you. I'd rather spend for U. K. E. the.

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I like C license from wonderful.

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Thank you for being here anyone else on the phone.

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You have anyone else on the telephone you would like to introduce themselves.

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Anyone else, you know, I can only see numbers so, I don't know we have several yeah.

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So it looks like what one more time is there anyone on the telephone who would,

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to introduce themselves now before we get on with the meeting.

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Okay. Yes. We go ahead then. Alright so I, I just wanted to make a couple of quick remarks.

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We had our first quarterly meeting in April,

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so not a whole lot of time since since our last meeting,

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but we have entered into the budget season in DC and so we've been doing some testimony particularly on the DDS budget,

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but not only on the DDS budget.

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And then also.

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With,

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obviously,

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with some of the,

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we're still continuing to be involved on covet,

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obviously,

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with other advocacy groups,

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but also in light of the protests and the black lives matter of protest.

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We have started thinking more about group that we had. We've tried to get started about a year and a half ago on police police and people with disabilities.

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So, Alison, and I have been talking about getting that going again and you'll be hearing more about that from us.

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We've already talked to a few people about that aside from that I want to mention that the council members will recall we formed a crisis committee,

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which is a sort of an expanded executive committee to be able to operate quickly to sign onto letters to issues that sort of thing,

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we are continuing with that system,

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but we're also talking now about how we will be transitioning from that to a more standard way of operating.

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And so you'll be hearing more from us on that, too in the months to come between now. And our next meeting, which will be taking place in September.

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So those are the main points I wanted to make early on Allison will be coming back to some of that towards the end of the meeting.

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Now, I would like to turn it over to Ricardo the I'm not sure if he is around there. He is Ricardo.

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Yeah, I'm ready to hand it over to you to take the minutes. Ricardo. Okay.

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So so we are already review the minutes if we could take some time to review them and see if the correct corrections in the minutes April, right?

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For the April? Yes.

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No corruption no corrections then I can't move. I move.

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When I asked for a motion yes. Yeah. It's for a motion. She also is a second.

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This is clearly all second discussion.

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I said, I have it. So if you set that.

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Alison something in front of us that suggests that our retreat notes are options. I don't know what we do with that.

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The notes from the retreat,

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or not formal minutes,

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so they don't require a vote,

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but it seemed like we wanted to just make sure the correct career mode just review that they are.

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Okay because it was a members only it was our strategic planning. Okay.

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Okay, so I guess if anybody, we've seen those, I think already the April meeting, but if anyone has anything that they're really concerned about, they can let, you know, Allison. Yep. Okay.

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Great. Thank you.

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I would like to go ahead and introduce our next our presenter. You're welcome to, you know, as much as I do, I don't have my notes in front of me. Oh, okay. Alright.

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So, if we have a boost on right now from the office of planning, and she had asked for us to talk about some issues with relation to D, dot accessibility issues.

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So, Rita, if you could, I guess you're unmuted now is that right? Yes. Hi. Wonderful. Thanks. Share my screen for the presentation.

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Or are you so you can Denise is managing the PowerPoints and just say next slide and it's already uploaded in here.

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What you what you sent me earlier in the week? Okay, sure. All good. Okay, great. Cool. I'm just going to go ahead and start by. Thank you again for having us here. And Alison.

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I know we've been talking for the past few months, and I'm glad that this is finally happening. My name is Rita. Abu, Sandra.

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I worked with the urban design division at the office of planning also near as Christian from the planning as well and everyone Israel from that.

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I guess I'm just going to give them a second to introduce themselves.

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If you want oh, go ahead. Evelyn. Sorry, Chris. Hi, this is Israel. I'm from. Do you? Not I'm an urban planner transportation planner and urban designer.

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And I'm Chris Shane of the office of planning,

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I manage our public space program,

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and just a little context for what we're gonna be presenting both Evelyn and I review a lot of public space permits through printing system.

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And we noticed that there were some issues coming up in regards to accessibility and potential conflicts with public space regulations. Reed is gonna talk about that a little more.

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But we put together a small working group to see if we could come up with some solutions. So, that things that improved accessibility, but we're consistent with our regulations.

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They needed to have exceptions could be things that we just approved as a matter of right. I didn't have to go through additional processes. So we're just gonna go over what some of those regulations are.

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And what a, some of our thinking is sorry.

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Alright,

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I was just gonna say if you're going through this,

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some of our working group from the Department of transportation had suggested,

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we reach out to groups like yours to share what our work product has been so far and to get your thoughts and feedback on it.

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And to add to what Chris said,

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as far as part of the working group within need one of the members,

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the members also included a coordinator and he was the person to specifically suggested reaching out to your group.

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Great Thank you. So, I'm going to go ahead and start and go to the first, like.

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Okay, so s, Chris and Evelyn said.

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The problem that we have at hand,

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is that for re,

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landscape terraces,

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as you can see through that picture,

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that is specifically the vegetated area that isn't being the building face and the sidewalk when this space is raised,

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whether the building entrance is above or below rate this is usually causing a conflict for accessibility measures.

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Can you go to the next one?

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Looks like, so, what we're going to be talking about today first of all is explaining why we're doing this. Why do we have that problem?

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We're also going to explain some draft principles and guidelines that we have established in order to deal with that problem.

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And then also show you kind of a mock up of what our final product our guidelines document is,

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is going to look like,

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and then also get your comments or any questions that you might have when it comes to that on topic next slide.

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So the reason we're facing this problem is because the regulations that usually that we usually have for,

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for this particular space are coming in conflict with providing some accessibility solutions in that particular case,

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So, some of the solutions and applications that we've been getting, that are preferred on our end usually do not comply with public space and construction code regulations, or one of each one of both.

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And then that usually requires that. These designs go through additional reviews and approval.

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And us making the process, a lot more complicated, and we realized that this is not very equitable and we wanted to see if there was a way to make this process easier.

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So,

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create this document that we're gonna be showing you,

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but that has these guidelines,

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these guidelines that if these designs were to follow these guidelines,

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then they would automatically be meeting accessibility,

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guidelines and meeting the intent of these other applicable regulations that we that I just spoke about and that,

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and then,

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you know,

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that would mean that we are basically streamlining these applications.

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And go to the next slide and I'll just add we find ourselves in the situation when there is a new building being built,

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whether it's say a apartment building or single family home,

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or if there's an existing building that is being renovated.

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And in both cases they want to provide and accessible entrance, and it's basically the typography of the public space that is preventing them from doing this.

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And we have regulations that don't often help us get to that accessible solution.

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So, based on what Chris just said as well, some of the, we're not gonna get into the details of the, of, of what those regulations are usually, you know, why they're usually solving this process.

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But the major one is the fact that a lot of these regulations require that, no change of grades happens to the existing grade.

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And this is why, in this case, you know, like, if you're gonna put around, for example, that is that is a change of grades.

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So it's a direct conflict, so I'm just going to go ahead and start talking about some of our principles and guidelines.

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So we identified four principles and then guidelines for each that we wanted the designs to follow and basically our thought process.

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And if you want, you can use those questions in order to, you know, you can answer them later based, on your experience, or your idea of, I guess, your opinion on what we're working with.

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But we wanted to see those principles and guidelines should apply to all areas of her district. And also it's they should be approved at the staff level, which is basically what we were talking about first.

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Because that would mean that the application process would go faster or should they require further review?

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Did we go to the next slide?

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Next slide please is it changing? It's not changing on my screen.

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For the principle, yeah, it should be the next slide with the for principles.

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I don't know why. Oh, maybe it's the connection bench. Give it a second. Yeah, we don't. It's not showing here either.

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I can just go ahead and start talking about it without maybe we'll just okay, so the four principles. Oh, okay great.

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So, the four principles that we have identified, first of all, I mean, you want all district presidents with different abilities to be able to remain in their homes.

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So also, independently of how their situation changes in life, anyone to be able to save their homes and so we wanted to make sure that that happens with regards to this document.

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We also wanted to make sure that the route, the accessible route that is provided needs all regulations.

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But as I said before me to,

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at least the intent of the other regulations that are public space introduction regulations,

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we also wanted to make sure that this structure or,

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you know,

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accessible route of any form integrates within the landscape parking.

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And when I see landscape parking, I am referring to the landscape terraces. That is that is another way that we call that area from buildings needs to decide.

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Well, we wanted to make sure that it runs within and within it and as part of our urban environment. So it doesn't look like it's like it's out of place. It's just like the natural part of our urban environment.

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We, and, for our last principle, we wanted to make sure that wherever we needed because that was the most prevalent thing the change of great part.

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We wanted to make sure that when the change upgrade is necessary, that we have room for that to happen even when other regulations say that it can't easily happen.

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But we also wanted to kind of find a middle point was prioritizing accessibility through finding a way to minimize it as much as possible through design,

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minimize this change and make it more of a smooth transition.

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Can you go to the next slide? I'm sorry.

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A moment to say that we're running behind time, which is partly because we took a little longer in the beginning, but if you can try to go through it a little more quickly, will have a little more time for council member feedback. Okay.

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I think I think we should jump ahead to the examples. Yeah.

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I was gonna say the same can we get the guidelines part?

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And then if I think it's four of them. Yes. So this one, the mockup so, this is a mock up of our final product.

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This is a single draft, obviously, but we basically thought that our document wouldn't be a four page document for now. And then it would provide an overview of the situation, basically.

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So, that applicants assess whether they can use this document or not and understand what are the measures having to take in order to have a design that is accessible and applicable.

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We also cover the different principles. And guidelines, and we wanted to identify professional scenarios.

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They're kind of small, I guess, but, I mean, I hope you can see them and then the professional scenarios would be kind of existing, like, common situations that we encounter around DC.

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That usually are problematic and basically fall within the race landscape terrace issue that we just discussed and by providing these design solutions,

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then applicants can use them as examples in order to present the design.

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That is in line with this document and basically provide additional design guidelines. For this document, and I think the next slide is the last one.

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And it's the one where we have a discussion. So I guess we're here to ask for your comments. And we want to know if I know we explain these briefly.

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But we want to know if you think that developing these guidelines would change or impact how you currently you,

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or someone,

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you know,

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currently experiences the city,

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would it make this easier for them and a more smoother experience and what you or a person,

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you know,

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would be comfortable using the space wheezing,

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any spaces that follow these guidelines that we are working on and any knowing about any additional suggestions that you might have for us and you can obviously,

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like,

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give us or comments on anything that we just discussed or that you might think up with these questions are meant to be guiding questions for you.

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Yeah, I didn't I don't know if if you can go back to the previous slide and if there's a way you could zoom in onto the third page that has the difference. Yes.

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I don't know. That's possible. Yeah.

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I'm wondering whether this is going to be a little bit detailed for what we can provide the good feedback on.

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Meeting it are we to get a copy of this in a more readable format that the council members could look at in order to be able to get back to you

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something sent this to me this is Alison.

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Rita had sent me the PDF of this, and people can open that and zoom in and whatever whatever view is easiest.

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And that is post on our, the meeting page for this meeting on our website. So I can direct people to that as well. Yeah. So, what would you all need feedback?

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Well, what would you like, feedback by? So, let's say.

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How long does it usually provide feedback and such things with? Usually usually, we give a two weeks.

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Yeah, I think that's where I'm thinking for me, but I think that's yeah I think I think it's very hard for us to absorb it in this format. Very effectively.

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And and we probably don't have time to over to the website and study it right now, given our time constraints.

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But what we could do, I don't want to preclude any council member from commenting.

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Now, if anyone wants to, but I think in order to get you good, good reactions, we're gonna need a little bit more time to look it over and see whether we have further thoughts. Yeah.

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Basically you want to comment now. Sorry. Go ahead, Chris.

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I was just gonna say, basically, we have some conflicts and regs that make it more difficult for us to get a solutions, which we are trying to close the gap so that we can.

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View and approve those more open to permit, instead of having them happen instead of having to have applicants go through a waiver process.

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So what Rita has, she's kind of gone through it all of our principles are the, what? You can't see very well on on the pages looking at now it's a third page where it says identifies potential scenarios.

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Those are illustrations of the types of solutions that would be consistent with our principles.

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I guess I would have only one question have, has this been reviewed already with the office of disability rights?

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Which concerns itself with the idea.

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No, I mean, we've had Cesar Caesar about it, which is, he is the ATA consultant as he is the one who has been part of our working group so far for this document.

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And I guess, no analysis so far is our first time presenting it. Okay. This is Alison. I just want to jump in.

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I think this is a really helpful overview and I, I think this part of this kind of presentation just hearing from you is necessary to have even before we're able to digest it later.

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So, I think later I can make sure all of the council members get that I'll send it as an email. It'll be easy for people to check out and and it's awesome.

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I know he's the coordinator, so super knowledgeable about eighty and trained by. So that's and Jessica, I don't know if she's still on here or not.

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She worked for so she might be able to help with comments as well.

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And I just want to there are a couple the good

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addressed during public comments.

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Just because on, because just because the next presenter, but I having difficulties, but we could briefly.

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Maybe I could briefly go over what it was going to go over and then we could move to public comment because I know if we have we have we lost just for the homestead presentation. Is that what you're saying?

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Yeah, but it's it's very brief. And then I on mute people who who want to provide some more feedback.

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So then we're moving on to the next item in the agenda on the homestead community integration plan at this time. Yeah.

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So, just briefly, Jessica, and I had a great conversation last week, she gave me an update about what was going on with the homestead plan.

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So hopefully I will give a mostly accurate overview of the. Can you go to next slide?

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The next one also. Sorry I forget what order these are already.

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So just briefly most of, you know, this own stead is based on title, to of Americans with disabilities, and it came about through a lawsuit.

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Because there were some women who were being institutionalized, and they could live in the community, and they wanted to live in the community and so this lawsuit was filed to help them be out in the community.

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And it's something that really guides a lot of our de institutionalization work around the country and community integration work, especially here in D. C.

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so there are several government agencies that have to contribute to the district's homestead plan to make sure that that the district is continuing.

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The institutionalization for people who are still in institutions St Elizabeth,

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like nursing facilities,

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but also to make sure that people would be at risk of going into an institution can remain in the community.

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So that involves the disability services. The supports and services through Department of aging. A community living department, behavioral health.

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Our Medicaid agency,

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and I have heard that the housing agencies in the employment agency are also going to be contributing coming up,

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which is really employment and housing are important aspects of staying in the community.

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So let's go to the next slide.

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So, I kinda mentioned this real quickly how the healthcare and employment are three big priorities in the, and then the next slide.

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I think the main takeaway that just to communicate was that there will be a community for July twenty first.

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So a little over a month from now, and there will be a draft plan at that time. So people will have a, a draft plan to review and to provide comments on.

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And the draft plan will include qualitative as well as quantitative metrics that they from an agencies are going to be using to implement their plan and to measure

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how well they're doing on that plan.

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And so qualitative measures are like, the more descriptive we want to have better outcomes, we want to have more people living in the community.

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The quantitative outcomes those are the numbers. Okay. We want more people living in the community. How many hundred? However, many it might be so they're trying to do a better job of having really measurable outcomes there.

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So, July twenty first I will make sure everybody all the.

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D council members get the details for that because community integration is such a huge part of our work at the DT council and it it ties in.

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I think what we were just talking about and what,

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Rita and and her colleagues we're talking about with public spaces and making sure things are compliant,

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but that they also there are solutions that work for everybody.

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So, being able to be a part of community is also being able to navigate in your community around where you live, or around where your friends live.

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So, some of these presentations and things we hear about from different organizations can get kind of technical sometimes.

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But if it's those guidelines, like, the things that Rita was talking about it, some of those kinds of guidelines that they can really make a difference for silly people can move through their community.

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So, everything here.

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Okay, yeah, there's a chance to Jason reacting on instead does anyone have and Alison who's just presented?

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One question Allison if no one else does, which is, what? When are they planning to finalize the homestead plan?

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If this is a community forum,

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how much time will people have October there to present the final plan?

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So, Alison, this is Robin. Can I weigh? In for a minute? Absolutely. Yeah. So, I just want to reiterate what the, what Alison said about the importance of this issue.

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And, you know, we do a lot of overlapping work to try to make the district a better place for people with disabilities to live for independent good lives in the community.

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And armstead has a particular focus, which is living and working in the community, and the least restrictive setting and getting your services in the community.

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And so I just really would encourage everybody to come to this forum to take a look at the plan.

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And to really, when you look at it look at it with that kind of vision in mind, is this going to promote community living to help people live full independent lives in the community.

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And I'm really pleased to say the focus on having measurable outcomes,

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both qualitative outcomes are really important,

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but really looking to see if we're advancing that objective of getting people out of institutions and into the community and living and working and having healthcare in the least restrictive settings,

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so that was my bipap talk to get everybody there and really focused on that objective.

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I also is on the meeting, which I just saw and so he can also fill in any that get missed from what Jessica's presentation was and thanks to Matt and Jessica for everything.

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They're doing to try to move this along and make it a really substantive plan to achieve those objectives.

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Thank you Robin, so who will begin to be even mentioned, but putting twenty one.

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So we're taking a full year to to write that up and so on.

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So I've been working very hard in trying to come over represented the community,

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the service and so for us to get hired to represent you,

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we need your feedback and discover that making three major buckets,

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the plan will cover,

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will cover in employment.

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They have all three employees,

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you can't be community PowerPoint and so many your feedback to him,

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because it's not just a government plan a plan.

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Is it is it in? So, I really want to hear from you guys because.

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What's one of you? Of course a one person government visualize and so. So, thank you.

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So, I need to get your feedback and comments on how to make this a living document. So please take part in the community for July. Twenty first. Thank you.

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This is yeah, but if you're not able to participate in the form, what are what are, how do we get? Where do we need to look to get.

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So where we can provide feedback.

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you can actually view the past content dealing with this to date de,

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00:56:01.375 --> 00:56:11.065

you mean homestead second every female we've done today is actually located on the home step plan.

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00:56:12.835 --> 00:56:27.804

And so you can, and just the coordinator for the so you can either serve your cause to just go for myself is thanks, Matt.

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00:56:27.835 --> 00:56:28.465

Matt, this.

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00:56:29.400 --> 00:56:35.304

Matt, this is Carol a little follow up on that will there be a further community forum? Or is this the only one.

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So, there will be a community formed.

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We've already done two forms to date, but as we start to pull this draft together, me, getting my feedback to Joe community to make sure that we're on target.

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00:56:54.054 --> 00:57:02.184

So, this will not be the last community for focus focus groups. We get terry's going for.

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00:57:05.485 --> 00:57:12.085

Any other council members have questions or comments on before we go to public comment.

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00:57:20.034 --> 00:57:33.175

Then also, I want to ask that you public members off mute. I think we had some questions also on the office planning presentation and then you on this as well.

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00:57:35.664 --> 00:57:46.704

Okay. So this is Alison, and I am gonna on mute everyone. And this is your reminder to to please mute yourself. If you're not talking.

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00:57:52.344 --> 00:57:59.965

Alright, I would like to comment on both presentation.

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00:58:02.219 --> 00:58:03.000

Well,

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the D dot and planning people,

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00:58:07.434 --> 00:58:13.195

I'm the care of the multi modal accessibility advisory committee,

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whose job it is,

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00:58:14.635 --> 00:58:21.715

is to advise all of you accessibility and public spaces.

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So I'm surprised that you have not to us.

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00:58:26.275 --> 00:58:39.744

Certainly would like to make that happen, but it's it's very, technically very small. It was difficult.

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00:58:41.664 --> 00:58:45.594

But my overall with your like,

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00:58:46.315 --> 00:58:50.065

the ABA trumps and I,

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00:58:53.994 --> 00:58:59.844

all things access before,

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because it's the law,

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let me just double check and you sure.

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00:59:05.394 --> 00:59:08.485

How does it do? Not right ties.

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00:59:10.074 --> 00:59:22.224

Other than April six doing she's doing a summer. I don't know in second hiding it's gonna be virtual and I don't know one thing please put yourself on mute. We're getting we're getting some real interference here.

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00:59:26.184 --> 00:59:37.434

Thing yeah, someone else's and that's why I kinda stopped. I went back to you. I'm fine about making it. Look like other things and all of that.

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00:59:37.434 --> 00:59:49.465

And again, I could not see the specifics and I would like the same people would be wonderful. Could come to our next map meeting and get our.

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00:59:52.045 --> 01:00:00.715

In general, I think the law trumps guidelines, accessibility and I could share some places.

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01:00:00.715 --> 01:00:09.025

There's a place right over by the city center for independent living where lots of people who the disability go.

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I think that's it,

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twelve and Rhode Island,

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nor,

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and there's a sidewalk with one of those retaining wall and it is so close that the sidewalk is no longer adequate for a wheelchair to pass.

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01:00:27.324 --> 01:00:32.094

And being stuck, kind of in the middle of the street, trying to do it.

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01:00:33.204 --> 01:00:47.215

I checked completely because it wasn't wide enough and there's a draw between where the sidewalk and that little landscaped area between the sidewalk and curb and literally tilted sideways.

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01:00:48.030 --> 01:00:48.750

So,

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01:00:48.775 --> 01:01:03.355

I think safety accessibility trumps and I'm I'm happy to hear any comments back to me and should I go ahead and make the old comment now too quickly yeah.

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01:01:03.355 --> 01:01:05.275

Go ahead. And make your other comment as well.

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01:01:05.425 --> 01:01:05.724

Okay,

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so I appreciate we're saying,

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01:01:10.974 --> 01:01:19.494

and I really think lots of us I can say the last community for similarly only an hour,

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01:01:19.494 --> 01:01:25.585

and a half gave the community literally no opportunity to speak.

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Even though you're saying, that's what you're looking for.

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01:01:30.054 --> 01:01:43.405

We didn't get to ask, we could put things in the chat. There were tons of comments a lot of angry concern in the chat went back after so many people. Please.

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01:01:43.704 --> 01:01:45.864

And there was just a tiny fine,

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and they had difficulty even figuring out what were the questions in the chat and even what was as shared laid out what was in the cat was not was.

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So,

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I hope that what goes forward is I understand we're in virtual and that's more challenging,

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real opportunities for people and share comments and here and.

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Lastly, that the accessibility on that day.

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The only way to ask the question was in the chat with people on couldn't access the chat. So that's an accessibility problem.

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01:02:36.385 --> 01:02:50.454

And I really want a robust discussion by cube community member about what we need to make it work for all. Thank you Heidi. Okay.

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01:02:51.054 --> 01:02:55.105

We only have a few minutes for public comment so.

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01:02:57.030 --> 01:03:00.085

Does anyone have something else that they would like to match?

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01:03:01.945 --> 01:03:16.885

Yeah, I agree Heidi, that the data counsel is not necessarily the, the, the logical first stop for the opposite plannings presentation.

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01:03:16.885 --> 01:03:31.014

There are other actors who have a much more direct involvement and accessibility issues like your committee. So, I do hope that they'll get around to other groups besides that. Thank you for that. Suggestion.

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01:03:31.525 --> 01:03:44.574

Austin already sent us. Alright as already connected us with the Mac group, and we will follow up and present to them also. Good. And and and there may be others as well.

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But we'll try to direct you toward them. Are there other community members who have comments on either of the presentation?

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So so, is it, I think, for Mr.

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01:04:11.340 --> 01:04:15.985

missed the first thirty minutes of your meeting,

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but,

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01:04:16.644 --> 01:04:20.155

but results unable to merging already,

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or is doing how much do I represent?

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I'm quite sure it was. In what table you mentioned anything about that.

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So,

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were you able to no,

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no,

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yet,

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my comes later in the meeting sorry about that to bring that up,

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then provide them that no problem.

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Questions or comments about patients before we move on from the public.

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If not then we will move back to our business meeting Allison. Can you bring it into this meeting?

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01:05:27.565 --> 01:05:27.894

Cool.

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01:05:38.394 --> 01:05:50.304

Give me one. Second. Everybody. Thanks. Alright. Okay. So I have muted.

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01:05:50.875 --> 01:06:01.494

I want again, but there will be one more public comment opportunity so no work right? That's right.

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But we need to move a little more rapidly our agenda, because we're already running a little behind. So that will be plenty of time for people to react.

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So, right now, I would like to hear from our organizational representatives, and we've got the order here. I think there's no one here from.

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01:06:22.829 --> 01:06:36.114

So, we went first. Thanks, Carol, a couple of things that I just want to mention that we have been working on that, I think would be of interest.

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We're trying as we have gone through the first phase of our of dealing with Kovac, nineteen in the district.

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And we have, we put up a lot of resources and tried to share information in phase one so that we were all moving forward together. And now we're working on to do some research to see what we can learn.

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And we'll be sharing that, as we move forward we've started with an effort to do some research around what happened with the direct support professionals during this period.

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And we're also having and will be doing research around other groups as well.

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And what's happened with people during this period so that so hopefully we can have a robust research program and share from that learning that will help us as we move further through this.

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This.

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New New World that we're in, we also have been working. One of the things I think many of, you know, that they use and has done over the years is a lot of support for parents with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

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And we're on an effort to create a collaboration on what that would really look like to help those parents as their parents with intellectual developmental disabilities,

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help their children transition through the different phases of life.

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And we're trying to get some funding to create a collaboration within the district for that, as we continue also to support individual parents and family.

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So,

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and we have been actively working along with the other people who are going to speak decks on the list to try to make sure that the issues that the intellectual developmental disability community is addressing during this

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during this pandemic are getting the attention of the mayor.

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And the, and the GC council and and others, and hopefully, as we reopen that, that that the interest and needs of our community will be getting a focus on the attention it deserves.

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01:08:54.689 --> 01:08:59.515

Thanks any any, any council member questions on the George tongue presentation.

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01:09:02.635 --> 01:09:13.015

Can we turn to? Yeah, I'm here. I was on mute.

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01:09:15.204 --> 01:09:19.164

I do not have a ton of updates.

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We're shifting to our summer programming so every summer we do jumpstart,

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which works with and and rehabilitation services administration to support youth with significant disability and accessing.

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So, I believe they have about thirty five youth that they're gonna be working with and work experiences over the summer. And then I'm managing.

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A program that's providing used with work based learning experiences in visual art videography,

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music,

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production,

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community,

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advocacy,

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and organizing and yoga and we are also serving about thirty five years.

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So we're kind of gearing up for all of those work experiences.

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Those are those online or are those going to be? They are virtual yes. Oh, okay. Yeah, so I figured, okay.

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01:10:30.989 --> 01:10:36.595

Any questions project action.

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Can you hear me.

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We had a meeting with Andy Reed with concerns that that we had about the schools and about the re, opening up the city, which was very good.

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I spent an hour with and we also have on the agenda.

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We also had planned to have a camera like digital, and we'd like to see if anyone can get some council members and some partners to join us with starting and getting that started with planning. Andy said, we can get a small group to get.

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We could do that is just bring us some piece and bring it back something we really really need now, because it's so much going on. I thought it would be something great.

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But, as far as gathering, we are, we are meeting, but we're not being face to face with doing the same thing. We doing here with the computer, but we are planning. So, project actually is active.

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Some of the staying home, but we're still active.

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01:11:51.685 --> 01:12:06.685

Ricardo this Alison one one clarification I, I, on the candlelight vigil with that related to people who've passed from cobra or something.

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Yeah, it would be related to those or pass this twenty five and this providers that has gone on to.

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01:12:16.194 --> 01:12:30.654

So one of the ideas that my wife came up with was maybe having it, and maybe having a camera, maybe on the big screen, where we can have people say your words and speeches and.

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This system can take some planning to do it, but it's a great idea. It's something that this wake the city right now we got a lot of stuff going on. A lot of March is going on as a ladder so, maybe bring some peace with the candlelight.

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Acknowledge that those are done and what we need to do to move forward.

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So, we really is planning. So, Andy said we can do it, but he wants to get together with maybe smaller groups we might end up having to. Okay. Okay.

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You want to have any reactions on that.

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01:13:10.765 --> 01:13:22.465

I'm open after my meetings, I do to, I'll go back on mute.

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01:13:25.680 --> 01:13:34.885

I do mayors commission and she, I think one of our representatives has there been any action? Yeah.

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01:13:36.204 --> 01:13:43.135

No, last time I thought the Camilla, she was having problems enough to win or something so we can meet virtually.

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I try to get in contact with the meat and find out what's new and hopefully was talking to.

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As we are no updates.

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01:13:57.595 --> 01:14:01.314

Okay, alright, thank you.

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Support Hi again, everyone, we canceled our family support council meeting that was scheduled for today earlier today to create space for us to smaller group work.

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So, we are continuing to finalize formal recommendations for the Department of health care finance, and we're working, actually, on bylaws for FSC. Like we're doing here for the council.

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Our next public family support council meeting will be held on July sixteen as planned meeting connection. Information will be put on the website and coming so be on the lookout for that.

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And then finally I'm participating in the charter, the life force ambassador training, which will ensure that both me and Joe and Christopher.

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Who's my fellow Co chair have shared knowledge of the supporting families framework and tools, but that's what's been going on with epic right?

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Any questions comments from any council members on.

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Even Emily, I think it's over to you for DDS.

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Great. So there are.

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And proposed amendments to the ID waver, which is the existing waiver that our folks in dda services.

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Some folks may be receiving services through and also there's the proposed individual and family support waiver and both the wavers are up for

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public comment.

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And there were two opportunities for your folks to provide public comment. Let's see. One, the ID waver. That is Thursday, June twenty fifth.

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And I am to eleven thirty am, I will drop all this information the chip chat box.

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I think also, Alison has it handy to distribute to folks as well but I will make sure you all have that handy.

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It includes the tech, the connection information, and then for the waiver, the, the public forum is Wednesday, June twenty four.

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Again, ten to eleven. Thirty am and does anyone have any questions you'd like me to field about those? The two waiver items?

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And I do have one more item to share after that. If there are no questions.

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A data one has had the opportunity to absorb the,

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the waiver changes quite yet,

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but anyone questions on the public forums,

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or I had a chance to look at the,

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I can go into more detail if you'd like,

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or otherwise I can just pass it along to Allison.

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01:17:27.210 --> 01:17:40.104

I think probably, it's good enough for Alison to get the information around. Is that alright? With other people okay you said you had one.

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01:17:45.569 --> 01:17:53.694

Someone have a comment. I'm sorry I was just chiming in and just say, yes, if that could be forwarded to Allison to distribute it. That would be good.

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01:17:54.835 --> 01:18:08.034

So, actually, what I'm going to share is kind of my notes that I took on it, which includes some links to where you can find out more information about some of the items reference.

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So, links to regulations, et cetera. It could have helped me process the information a little more. It's something different than what went out to the public formally. So, just just as an, I'll give that to the council members.

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And so,

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the other the last item I have is actually one more after that Wednesday,

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first from one to four PM is the virtual person centered organization meeting,

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which is an opportunity for anyone on this call and other stakeholders to meet with DDS leadership.

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And it's a conversation that will be facilitated by support development associates. It's, they are consulting group, they support states that across the nation with becoming person centered.

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The agenda is still in development. But we'll and it, it will include a discussion of our future work in the new virtual setting.

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If you're interested and you have not received a save the date from me.

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Please go ahead and send me an email. It's E. M. as in Mary. I. L. why.

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That orange team O. R. N. as in Nancy s. as in Sam t's and Tom. E. I. and as in Nancy at DC dot. Gov.

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Or you can call me at two O, two, seven, three, zero, one, six, eight, seven and I can send you an invitation to attend.

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01:19:51.774 --> 01:20:06.414

I'd also like to just lastly shout out Ricardo for his support and offering or offering no training to are service providers on

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creating one page person centered descriptions in the covet night team context.

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01:20:12.444 --> 01:20:22.045

I was actually, Ricardo and Donna both provided an excellent training our providers. Well, thank you so much. Okay.

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Understand and there's guidance in the works services and maybe some other aspect with regard to particularly two of the reopening.

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I don't know if you have any update on that or not. Sure. Yeah.

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I I don't have the next date on hand,

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but we have met twice so far,

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the workgroup consists of a balance of family members,

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people in services staff.

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I think those are the main groups off the top of my head. Oh. And providers service providers. I think I said that and the group has kind of divided into two subcommittees.

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One is looking at creating assessments for really getting a sense of the state of readiness of folks to re,

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enter kiss for lack of a better word our community.

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And then the second group is working through the programmatic aspects at the provider level. So kind of the nuts and bolts of what does that look like to keep people healthy and safe?

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What sort of service amendments need to happen?

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Any definition,

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changes of services and then on my part,

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I'm actually myself and Ricardo are kind of floating off on our own and another little group where gathering information about reopening from our community partners.

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So,

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we had a great conversation with department of aging and community living MTM,

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which is the transit,

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or what does the contracted transit company for a lot of our waver folks,

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Department of parks and recreation and the public library.

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So some good foundational conversations helping to kind of feed into the really build out the knowledge that all that the group has. Yeah.

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And so so progress is being made there's some draft assessments completed and some, some draft definitions and thoughts on the program side. So, yeah, it's underway.

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I'm glad for the outreach, I know that some of the partners you name, like D CPL are really looking at some real cuts and and that's that's a concern to us.

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You're talking about cutting hours and maybe closing some branches.

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So I'm in the process of drafting a statement for the budget to talk about the impact that that's gonna have on people with disabilities.

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Yeah, my my overall feedback is that each agency well, from DPR in they're working really hard to bring most things online.

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You know,

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as appropriate right and the problem being that,

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obviously a lot of people with disabilities and other and other groups in the city,

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obviously rely on a lot of their online services they rely on the on the libraries.

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Right? And so access is a real issue.

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But we've probably been working on it for several months now, but.

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Shame if that is shut that, even after the cobra crisis.

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Oh, absolutely. Okay. Me and none.

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When Shannon was talking about,

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who has this ability we need to do with other people,

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disability phones and pads we need to do a thing for them and a moment for that for the pathway and

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it was talking about and and I don't know who the other person was Jeannie was telling me about we're going to try to talk to him as he made him a,

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some more people to call for that.

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We'll know what day that's gonna stop that going, but assuming, I don't know what day that's going to start.

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The one team and passed away with it, and all of that different group homes just.

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I missed the events that Ricardo was talking about

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this.

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Something.

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Bernard, keep us posted then about what you and Tina are talking about. Okay.

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Were we talking on the phone about that and one the independent from here I live not two doors down from me,

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passed away on last Wednesday,

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and the feeling might be coming up and I might be going to the film on that day.

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I don't know what time that thing is. I wasn't necessarily going to give me time to start with a K, give me the I got the address.

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You know, you gotta give him the time with time. Let's start and all that.

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Well,

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you know,

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I reminding me that last time,

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we actually took a moment of silence,

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and I wonder if we could do that again right now for the people who have passed,

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but also thinking about the recent protests also for the people who have lost their lives in the,

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you know,

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in the in protest and with the police around the country.

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So if we could just take just a minute now, for a moment of silence.

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Okay, thanks every, thank you. Super important reminder and new to Carlo. Does anyone have any else with respect to emily's presentation?

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And then I'll turn to Heather for the aging community living. Thank you. I don't think we have any of this.

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I mean, we are continuing to move into phase two as well more services in the community.

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I caught all of that was having a little technical difficulty. Could you just repeat that quickly? Sorry?

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Other.

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Let me try for a third time I'm saying, we don't have an update really much to report that. We are like, TDs moving into phase two.

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We will have more of our services face to face and of course, we're looking at opening our adult health programs.

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Okay, thank you. Sorry any questions.

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For okay, and I'll remind people, you also manage the, the waver right?

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So, the community comments, if anyone has any thoughts on that, we can address those. I see.

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Public comment just came up my agenda shows. That first we have the executive directors report.

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So, Allison, yeah, I think that we have here report first.

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Yeah, we do Denise can you just, I think it was, it's just a, the I think the PowerPoint, what is showing is just, thank you denies showing the right thing now. Great.

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Thank you, Denise. So Alison, over to executive directors report, then, and everybody should have the screen in front of them.

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So a few things on here are just sort of placeholders to,

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to let people know what's going on,

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but we're not gonna go into discussion about a lot of it right now the bylaws as most of,

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you know,

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we are in the process of revising those we've made a lot of changes to it based on comments from all of you as well as a really in depth looks from the executive committee in those bylaws and since

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Lewis has come onboard,

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she has some really excellent feedback and you all have the most recent version of that in your emails I would have sent that earlier this week.

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So I don't expect to everybody's looked through all of it in detail quite yet but Denise is gonna be scheduling a call for all of us to specifically discuss the bylaws to really get.

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Some time dedicated to talking about those and finalizing them hopefully fingers crossed. So, keep an eye out for that meeting request from Denise.

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Staffing we've already welcome to lose and heard about all the great things. I know. Many of.

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You have already spoken with loose and are getting to know her, and she's getting to know you and I look forward to the day when we're all in person together.

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But in the meantime, please, please connect with her as much as you want. And we'll all continue it.

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So, I think important invaluable for her to hear from all of you is council members and here about your experiences.

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I also wanted to let people know we're bringing on fellow from an organization called lead for America.

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That's dedicated to connecting with their local communities to get involved in public service. So.

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Our lead for America will be starting in August,

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and you'll get more information of that as she soundboard we're looking forward to that she will be placed with the Council,

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but also be supporting,

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offset disability rights.

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So, we're kind of share her time.

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Updates on D council grants this is just to let,

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you know,

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that the total amount that we granted out for the release grants was thirty seven thousand dollars and seven hundred and twenty four twenty four since that doesn't make any sense

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thirty seven thousand,

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seven hundred and twenty four dollars so so we gave out out amount of money in grants to support our community to do,

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do what we could to support minimizing isolation and maximizing communication for our community.

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And a lot of that look like supporting people. They get technology in their home. So that they could connected to the outside world. So that's pretty exciting.

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I'm really looking forward to seeing how that all plays out what those brands are for the most part very short term kinds of things.

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So, we'll see what kind of outcome we can we can bring about with that.

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Hopefully we'll get people hooked on technology and and this will we started hopefully start a snowball kind of effect. So that more folks can really get access to that.

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Possible state plan amendments I want to talk more about this very soon.

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We we touched on it at our retreat, but I'll come back to it and I think it needs a little bit more discussion.

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I am going to make a proposal to the council about a couple amendments and the reason I wanted to mention it here at the public meeting is because any amendments to our estate plan,

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require a public comment period.

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So, council members decide on what the amendments might be.

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Census and voting resources this is just a, I put together a very quick list of some resources related to this. It is on our website.

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The main takeaway here,

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I think with the census as I was collecting,

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some of the information is just to maybe this is a question for Emily or for anybody who works for a service provider.

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I think there's still some concern that people who receive services through a service provider may not get counted in the census and there are ways for people who have more who people who

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live in a residential setting that is owned,

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or managed by a service provider.

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The census has specific ways that those people can get counted and, and I want to be pushing out that information.

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So the service providers can take charge of that, or DDS could put out guidance on that.

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If if it seems helpful for voting, there's some, there's just some really awesome voting resources out there right now.

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There's a great video series called vote for all by imani Barbara,

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where she talks about barriers to voting for people with disabilities and how to break down barriers and what are your rights and there's a great video series.

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So I have that in in the resource document. That's on our website.

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So, and I'll, I'll, I'll try to share all this over email as well so that people have it in their inboxes.

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So, some of the other items for discussion are some things that Carol mentioned earlier in the meeting.

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But there there are some areas of work that that are important for us to be engaging on right now that we've kinda started and stopped at different points,

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and especially work related to anti racism and a group that that convened awhile ago discussing disability community and police interactions.

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We really wanna come back together on that and keep that we're going in develop connections with other people in DC. They're already doing network.

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I saw an email pop up briefly that during this meeting from somebody that's interested in being a part of that. So, I would just say to keep an eye out for that, coming coming in the future.

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I don't know exactly what that work will look like, but it's important to be focusing on on the aspect of anti racism work right now.

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I think that most of what I wanted to share, I know we're running toward the end of the meeting and I think.

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I mean, are there any comments or questions from council members first? And then I can unmute everybody for public comment so any, any council member questions or thoughts right now.

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Well, oh, great. Go ahead. Great. Go ahead, Ricardo, I was gonna say something conclusive so you go ahead now we're just gonna ask about the bylaws. I understand. I know it's been worked on and they look very good.

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Are we going to vote on them to accept them in the register? That's a good question.

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We're not voting on them today in part, because you only got the most recent copy this week and I want to give people a little bit more time to really look at them.

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And I, I have a few more explanations that I want to offer to people about some of the changes. So I just want to take a little bit more time for that.

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Alison, I didn't get the alright. I will make sure I'll make sure you get it.

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Okay.

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01:42:38.939 --> 01:42:52.645

I think we should go to public comment and last comments from council members too far community members a chance to talk to them. Okay.

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Okay so,

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I,

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I am,

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I'm muting everybody for public comment and I will just share I I received the chat the public comments.

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I'll redone one first. It's from Molly wailing. She has hosted another meeting. We have been involved in such activities.

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So if you are any comment, if you can mute yourself, so I'm gonna mute everyone. So.

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Molly said,

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she's buddies now and the welcomes any questions and programs,

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both school and citizen matching programs.

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So.

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I can find her email and put it in the chat. If people want to reach out to her.

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Any other public let me just put that I just wanted to say back to Mali.

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Maybe we can have an opportunity at a future meeting for a little more of a presentation on best buddies would would love to do that. This meeting just didn't offer that opportunity.

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She is more than willing.

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Are there any other comments or questions? We can go back to the operations as well if anyone has any further, we can't hear anything says connected button.

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Does anyone have any community announced that we haven't had a chance.

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Yeah, so this and that call from Tim is a very important month.

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All of us does anybody know why this year is important to all of us? Everybody guess.

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The thirtieth anniversary of the ATA Thank you.

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01:45:40.314 --> 01:45:47.395

So so still is thirty years of a,

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who is doing a project and so the chicken pubs community members have been impacted

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by the display.

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What we're looking for is the four to six surfaces.

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Important to you in the next thirty years in terms of a basically why I'm asking you to

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acquire is important here.

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The antique impart partner realized I'm looking for quotes for them because your eyes really, really quickly.

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I'm really hoping the leaders have to focus on quantity.

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Promote the local level,

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and so we said we need like,

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a four to six new.

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01:47:13.404 --> 01:47:23.545

Both of you can you can so, to me, I need this by next week. Impossible.

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Let me see,

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I'm hoping to get yours and advocate for and really how are you guys?

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So,

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good,

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my contact information,

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but you want to take for me as soon as possible the questions.

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Very good job explaining why needed so type? My, my contact information everybody appreciated.

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Okay, great.

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So from what I understood,

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you're looking for feedback from people who feel directly impacted by the right working for quotes from people

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community leaders.

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So not necessarily, but has injected relies upon you guys another.

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Thank you thanks for clarification.

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And just along a follow up with that, the, the APA has impacted all of our lives. So we all should be able to come up with some.

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So do we other community announcements? The floor is open. This is Ricardo. I just had one announcement.

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That is the Special Olympics DC because, you know, we have some gains if you didn't have it.

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So,

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what we have planned to do is we have the DC special was having summer games at home,

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doing exercises at home,

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or some type of event that you like doing,

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you know,

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walking around the park or playing basketball driven or whatever.

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It is that you're doing. You can let our rod know to do some special. Probably probably send you a certificate trying to get people back to exercising and not just Timmy home not doing anything, but exercising.

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So that was pretty interesting. Ed. Ed Ricardo, I ever heard Nicole. Preston give a really.

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Presentation on their fit five program, which is your website, right? Okay you're encourage everyone to come on.

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And in the classes that are we, we really, really want to do a count a day, but we want to have partners to do it where we may do fifty people. No more than fifty at a group and then fifty another town later on.

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So, we would like to have that come together so we can bring some kinda piece to the city right now because the city's really being torn apart.

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So,

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if you're interested in volunteer to be in a partner,

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please join project,

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actually great to have any other community announcements.

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Not just council members here, any, any member of the public.

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Going.

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01:51:28.314 --> 01:51:37.194

Before I asked for a motion to adjourn, I wanted to really give a special, another special welcome to lose, but all.

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Done and Lewis, or putting together this wonderful online event.

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If you were online in April, you know, we had a lot more difficulties with the technology and Alison, and Denise in particular have put tremendous effort and to making this work for us.

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So well, I know it's always a little glitchy and a little a little weird. It's, it's still so much better. Yeah. So thanks a lot.

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01:52:13.314 --> 01:52:15.265

Yeah, thanks guys. This is great.

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01:52:18.625 --> 01:52:23.274

So, with that, do it here option to turn from one of the council members.

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One okay, that's Bernard. Second section.

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01:52:34.704 --> 01:52:49.585

Was that yes, that's second. All in favor. All right. Bye. Bye everyone. Thank you so much for coming and thanks to the community members for being here to everyone. Hi.

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01:52:49.585 --> 01:52:51.625

Hi. Bye. Bye.

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Hey.

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01:53:17.994 --> 01:53:29.425

I don't see it. This is awesome. I've got to get adjusted this way.

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01:53:38.515 --> 01:53:43.375

Hello wow. You don't care.

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Oh, I got a for this one back.

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I had a lot of here on my screen was there was we

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should have posted a picture of your hair before you Ricardo Douglas.

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Look briefly. Okay. I'm going out.

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I was alright, bring up with the machines setting it up. This is really great. I am so happy that you got on the video. So, this is awesome. Oh, my God.

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I didn't get my life, but I see it.

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So, good job after suffering through Donna, how do I get out of this?

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I mean, yeah, I would just go to X. yeah. Hey, guys. Okay.

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01:55:30.114 --> 01:55:44.755

See, I was. This was great. Thank you. Louis. Very, very GoToMeeting. Thank you. It was great. Really?

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01:55:44.755 --> 01:55:58.734

I enjoyed. It was excellent. It is better than it was. Okay. Well, hi. Hi, Bernard. How are you? I'm doing right.

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01:56:01.585 --> 01:56:13.975

Great. Nice to see you. Good. Well, what did you call me back again? I will wait for you again. Yes, I flew soon very soon to be. Okay. Okay.

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But alright. Bye.