

DC Developmental Disabilities Council

September 15, 2011
City-Wide Conference Center
Room # 1114 South
441 4th Street, NW
Washington, DC
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

September is National Preparedness Month

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

- I. Welcome and Introductions
- II. Review, Suggested Revisions & Approval of July 21st Minutes
- III. DDC Presentation: Building Economic Strength Together (BEST) Program – Johnette Hartnett from the National Disability Institute (15 minutes)
- IV. Chair Report – Tina Campanella
 - a. Update Regarding Victor Robinson
 - b. DDA's Mortality Reporting Procedure
 - c. Executive Director Annual Performance Evaluation
 - d. Other Thoughts
- V. Executive Director Report – Mat McCollough
 - a. DD Council Website Update
 - b. DD Council-funded Programs Update: 3 RFPs and 2 additional grants with Quality Trust and The Arc of DC
 - c. FY11 Obligation and Expenditure Report
 - d. August 9: FY12-16 Five Year State Plan Successfully Submitted

- e. October: Disability Mentoring Days
 - f. Consumer Satisfaction Surveys
 - g. Nominated to the HHS Regional Health Equity Council
 - h. Inclusion Research Institute's Letter of Support: Help America Vote Act (HAVA) TA Grant
- VI. Earthquakes, Hurricanes, Floods – Are You Prepared?!
- a. Mayor Gray's Press Release – National Preparedness Month
 - b. Emergency Preparedness Preparations & Recommendations from FEMA's Linda Landers
 - c. Other FEMA Resources
- VII. DDC Participation at Upcoming National Events
- a. November 15-17: NACDD Annual Meeting at the Gaylord National Hotel
 - b. November 17-19: Alliance for Full Participation Summit at the Gaylord National Hotel
 - c. November 30-December 3: TASH National Conference
- VIII. DDC Fall Retreat – Sudie Johnson
- IX. NACDD Position Available: Director of Council Services
- X. Upcoming DD Council Related Events
- a. September 17: Project ACTION! Meeting
 - b. September 21: GU-UCEDD Consumer Advisory Council Meeting
 - c. September 24: Moving Forward Together Secondary Transition Community Forum
 - d. September 26–27: DD Council Executive Director Meeting, Chicago, IL
 - e. End of October: DDC Fall Retreat
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 - h. November 30-December 3: TASH National Conference
 - i. Other Event Announcements
- XI. Closure *Proposed* – October 20: Next DD Council Meeting; 3-5:00 pm**