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**Governor's Advisory Council on Disability Affairs**

**Governor's Advisory Council on Disability Affairs  
Schedule of Meetings  
June 2023**

All Committee Meetings will be held via Zoom

|                  |               |                   |
|------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Monday, June 19  | Accessibility | 10:00AM – 12:00PM |
| Monday, June 19  | Education     | 1:00PM – 3:00PM   |
| Tuesday, June 20 | Legislative   | 10:00AM – 12:00PM |

\*All agendas are on the following pages.\*

**Full Council Meeting**

Wednesday, June 21, 2023

1:00PM to 3:30PM

via Zoom at

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or in person at

Louisiana State Capitol, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Press Room, 900 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, LA

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**Governor's Advisory Council on Disability Affairs  
ACCESSIBILITY COMMITTEE**

Monday, June 19, 2023  
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

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1. Call to Order and Roll Call 10:00 AM
2. [Granting Unserved Municipalities Broadband Opportunities](#) (GUMBO) 10:05 AM  
Stephen Barnes and Margaret Storms, UL Blanco Center
3. Updates from the Statewide Independent Living Council 10:20 AM  
Jamar Ennis
4. Updates from the [State ADA Coordinator Office \(HB143\)](#) 10:30 AM  
Rikki David
5. Updates from the [LA Commission of Deaf \(SB 98 / Act 128\)](#) 10:40 AM  
Jana M. Broussard
6. Updates from [Emergency Management Disability and Aging Coalition \(EMDAC\)](#) 10:50 AM  
Bambi Polotzola
7. Cox Communications 11:00 AM
8. NOLA Roll With Me Presentation 11:10 AM  
Mark Raymond
9. Litigation regarding CATS (Capitol Area Transit System) Update 11:20 AM  
Attorney Andrew Bizer
10. Public Comments 11:30 AM
11. Adjournment 12:00 PM

*NOTE: Accessibility Items specific to Education may be discussed more in-depth in the Education committee meeting.*

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Governor’s Advisory Council on Disability Affairs  
EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Monday, June 19, 2023

1:00PM – 2:30PM

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- 1. Call to Order and Roll Call 1:00 PM
- 2. Discuss [Local Special Education Advisory Councils](#) Report M. Jordan 1:05 PM
- 3. [Related Services Advisory Council](#) Dr. Amber Harris 1:20 PM
- 4. [Postsecondary Inclusive Education Fund](#) Dr. G. Beckers 1:30 PM
- 5. Discussion of [Legislative Items for the 2023 Regular Legislative Session](#) related to students with disabilities 1:45 PM
  - PASSED**
  - a. [HB12](#) - Prohibits promotion to fourth grade of students with reading deficiencies
  - b. [HB213](#) - Exempts certain school surveillance and security video from the Public Records Law
  - c. [HB242](#) - Provides relative to corporal punishment in elementary and secondary schools
  - d. [HB353](#) - Provides relative to student behavior, discipline, and behavioral and mental health
  - e. [HB367](#) - Provides relative to pupil appraisal and services for children transitioning from EarlySteps to services provided by the local public school system upon their third birthday.
  - FAILED**
  - f. [HB9](#) - state funding for education of students with exceptionalities not enrolled in public school
  - g. [HB98](#) - Creates and provides for a program to provide state funding for the education of students not enrolled in public school and expands the ability of parents to enroll children in the public school of their choice
  - h. [SB12](#) - Requires AED at all educational institutions and athletic events
  - i. Additional items may be discussed
- 6. Public Comment 2:15 PM
- 7. Adjournment 2:30 PM

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LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, June 20, 2023  
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 1. Call to Order and Roll Call                                                  | 1:00 PM |
| 2. Discussion of Legislative Session                                            | 1:05 PM |
| <a href="#">Click here to access the GODA legislative tracking spreadsheet.</a> |         |
| 3. Public Comment                                                               | 2:50 PM |
| 4. Adjournment                                                                  | 3:00 PM |

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Full Council Meeting

Wednesday, March 15, 2023

1:00 PM to 3:15 PM

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- 1) Call to Order and Roll Call 1:00 PM
  - 2) Approval of [March 2023 GACDA Minutes](#)
  - 3) Committee Reports and Discussions
    - Education 1:05 PM
    - Accessibility 1:20 PM
    - Legislative 1:35 PM
  - 4) Update on Employment initiatives (including but not limited to [LRS](#), [OBH](#), [OCDD](#)) 1:50 PM
  - 5) [La Department of Health](#) updates (including but not limited to [OAAS](#), [OBH](#), [OCDD](#), [OPH](#)) 2:10 PM
  - 6) State Agency / Member Updates 2:40 PM
  - 7) Governor's Office of Disability Affairs Conference – July 24-27 (virtual) 2:50 PM
- Register to attend the GODA Conference at <https://www.bit.ly/GODAconf23>.
- Schedule for GODA Conference <https://www.bit.ly/GODAconf23sched>
- 8) Public Comment 3:00 PM
  - 9) Adjournment 3:15 PM

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