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

**Governor's Advisory Council on Disability Affairs  
Schedule of Meetings  
September 2022**

All Committee Meetings will be held via Zoom

|                       |                |                   |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Monday, September 19  | Education      | 12:00PM - 1:30PM  |
| Tuesday, September 20 | Accessibility  | 10:00AM - 12:00PM |
| Tuesday, September 20 | Legislative    | 1:00PM – 2:30PM   |
| Tuesday, September 20 | Transportation | 3:00PM - 4:00PM   |

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

**Full Council Meeting**

Wednesday, September 21, 2022

1:00PM to 3:15PM

via Zoom at

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87102852955?pwd=YmN6bGRTVFVjY0N0UjV2SzZlCSG41dz09>

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or in person at

Claiborne Building/1-137 Marbois Room, 1201 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, LA

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

Monday, September 19, 2022

12:00PM - 1:30PM

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1. Call to Order Dr. Gerlinde Beckers and Nicole Flores 12:00PM
2. Discuss [Local Special Education Advisory Councils](#) N. Flores 12:05PM
3. [Postsecondary Inclusive Education Fund](#) G. Beckers 12:20PM
4. [Cameras in certain classroom](#) Meredith Jordan 12:35PM
5. Discuss utilizing IEPs for determining accommodations in Louisiana Universities  
Timothy Delaney 12:50PM
6. [Special School District Superintendent Search](#) Alishia Vallien 1:00PM
7. [Related Services Advisory Council](#) Dr. Amber Harris 1:10PM
8. Public Comment 1:25PM
9. Adjournment 1:30PM

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

Tuesday, September 20, 2022

10:00AM – 12:00PM

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1. Call to Order and Roll Call 10:00am
2. [Granting Unserved Municipalities Broadband Opportunities](#) (GUMBO)  
Veneeth Iyengar, Broadband Director, OTS 10:05am
3. Office of Technology Services, Division of Administration  
Erin Hernandez 10:25am
4. [Louisiana State Parks](#), Department of Culture Recreation and Tourism 10:45am  
Clifford Melius, Deputy Assistant Secretary
5. Results of the [State As a Model Employer \(SAME\)](#) Survey Results 11:05am  
Dr. Jim Mitchell and Marsha Andrews
6. Updates from the [State ADA Coordinator Office](#) ([HB143](#)) 11:25am  
Rikki David
7. Updates from the [LA Commission of Deaf](#) ([SB 98 / Act 128](#)) 11:35am  
Jana M. Broussard
8. Discussion of state government website accessibility 11:45am  
Dr. Jim Mitchell
9. Public Comments 11:55am
10. Adjournment 12:00pm

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

Tuesday, September 20, 2022

1:00 PM to 2:30 PM

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| 1. Call to Order and Roll Call   | 1:00pm |
| 1. Updates on Passed Legislation and Resolutions   | 1:05pm |
| a. <a href="#">Captioning in the legislature (Act 273 of 2017)</a>                         |        |
| b. <a href="#">Inclusion of virtual participation in open meeting laws (SR147 of 2022)</a> |        |
| c. <a href="#">Accessible Voting Task Force (HCR14 of 2022)</a>                            |        |
| 2. Next Steps on Goal Legislation  | 1:30pm |
| a. Additional Waiver Slots and Funding (OAAS & CCW)  |        |
| b. Coverage of incontinence supplies under Medicaid Waivers                                |        |
| c. Generators for ICF/DDs  |        |
| 3. Creation of Workgroups for Goal Legislation   | 2:00pm |
| 4. Public Comment  | 2:25pm |
| 5. Adjournment   | 2:30pm |

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TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, September 20, 2022

3:00PM – 4:00PM

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| 1. Call to Order and Roll Call   | 3:00pm |
| 2. Presentation on the <a href="#">Coordinated Human Services Plan</a> | 3:05pm |
| 3. Public Comment  | 3:55pm |
| 4. Adjournment   | 4:00pm |

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- 1) Call to Order and Roll Call 1:00 PM
- 2) Approval of [June 2022 GACDA Minutes](#)
- 3) Committee Reports and Discussions
  - Education 1:10 PM
  - Transportation 1:20 PM
  - Accessibility 1:30 PM
  - Legislative 1:40 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](#)) 2:05 PM
- 6) Presentation on [ALICE Report](#) – Sarah Berthelot, [Louisiana United Ways](#) 2:35 PM
- 7) State Agency/ Member Updates 3:00 PM
- 8) [Governor's Outstanding Leadership in Disabilities \(GOLD\) Awards and Inclusive Arts Contest](#) 3:05 PM
- 9) Public Comment 3:10 PM
- 10) Adjournment 3:15 PM

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