



UNOFFICIAL MEETING NOTES

Organization: State Independent Living Council

Date: March 20, 2025

Location: Hybrid (Virtual via Zoom, DCCIL office, DDS office)

Names of Attendees: LaKenya Pitchford, Robin Mendes-Newell, Ivy Bullock, Damon Johnson Jr., Darnise Bush, Kim Bellamy, Andy Reese, Brittany Stuckey, Charlisa Payne

Names of Absentees: Cathy Flemming, Richard Simms, Lynn Brown

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 12:06 pm by Robin Mendes-Newell

Order of Business:

I. Unfinished Business

- a. Spil has been submitted; waiting for feedback from ACL.
- b. PPR is complete and will be submitted on Monday, March 24, 2025.

II. New Business

- a. Equipment distribution: 10 computers to be distributed to board members in addition to, equipment training through RSA. (Potential date of April 10, 2025, once confirmed by IT; TBD)
- b. Additional training on Roles and Responsibilities (Potential date of April 15, 2025; TBD)
- c. Potentially combining DCCIL ILS mini forums into SILC activities (not considered direct service through SILC); Cathy Flemming, housing forum. Roxeanne, Resource Fair for Latinos, Lashon and youth team, youth forum.

III. Future Action Steps

- a. Darnise and Robin will confirm training dates with all appropriate parties.



- b. The board will assess the direction of the new administration's policies to determine next steps related to activities planning.

Closing:

- I. The next meeting will be in April; to be determined at a later date.
- II. The meeting was adjourned at 12:50 pm by Robin Mendes-Newell.