Self Determination Advisory Board

December 4, 2024

Location: 465 Waverly Oaks Rd Suite 120, Waltham, MA

Virtual Access/Call In Number:

**1 309 205 3325**

**Meeting ID: 989 4151 1020**

Opening Comments, and Roll Call of Attendees *10:00-10:10*

*Nancy Alterio, Chairperson and Executive Director of the* *Disabled Persons Protection*

*Commission*

Review and Approval of the Meeting Minutes *10:10-10:15*

*September 4th, 2024*

DDS Updates *10:15-10:20*

*Sarah Peterson, Acting Commissioner of DDS*

*SDAB update: Colin Long, Inspector General’s Office; Nora Bent, Director of Gov’t Affairs and Strategic Partnerships at Arc of MA; Catherine Burke, Acting Director of Bureau of Program Integrity - new board members welcome*

Regional Updates *10:20-10:30*

*Self-Direction Regional Managers: Ed Wilson, Southeast; Amy Nazaire, Northeast*

*Julia Wojciechowski, Central West, John Lee, Metro- Department of Developmental Services*

**Topic Items:**

Independent Facilitator – SDAB Subcommittee panel updates *10:30-10:50*

*Robin Foley, Parent and Sub-Committee member.*

* *Review IF Training Topics*

FMS Update *10:50-11:20*

*Jaclyn Grant, Director of Self-Directed Service Models, DDS*

The Path Forward (SIS-A) Update *11:20-11:25*

*Elizabeth Sandblom, Acting Assistant Commissioner of Operations, DDS*

Public Comment *11:20-11:25*

Future Dates and Closing Comments *11:25-11:30*

*Nancy Alterio, Chairperson and Executive Director of the Disabled Persons Protection Commission*

**Schedule:** March 5, 2025 | June 4, 2025 | September 3, 2025 | December 3, 2025