Self Determination Advisory Board

June 5, 2024

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

Virtual Access/Call In Number:

1-305-224-1968 Meeting ID - 98948945213#

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*

*March 13, 2024*

DDS Updates *10:15-10:20*

*Jane Ryder, Commissioner,* *Department of Developmental Services*

*Introduction of newest SDAB member, Matthew Bruening*

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 discussion (con’t) *10:30-11:00*

*Discussion led by: Robin Foley, Parent and Sub-Committee member.*

 *Final review of draft roles and responsibilities of Independent Facilitator*

 *Proposed next steps*

*Discussion and opportunity for SDAB committee members to provide comments/feedback.*

Self-Direction Conference Planning *11:00-11:10*

*Update provided by: Jaclyn Grant, Statewide Self Direction Coordinator & Regional Self Direction Managers*

The Path Forward, Implementation of the SIS-A Assessment *11:10-11:20*

*Update provided by: Elizabeth Sandblom, Deputy Assistant Commissioner, 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:** September 4, 2024 | December 4,2024 | March 5, 2025 | June 4, 2025