Self Determination Advisory Board

March 13, 2024

Location: DDS Metro Regional Office

465 Waverly Oaks Rd Suite 120, Waltham, MA

Call in number:
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Meeting ID: 973 4540 3556

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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*

*December 6, 2023*

DDS Updates *10:15-10:20*

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

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 *10:30-11:05*

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

 *Brief Presentation of key functions of Independent Facilitator*

*Recommendations of sub-committee*

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

The Path Forward, Implementation of the SIS-A Assessment *11:05-11:20*

*Update provided by: Tim Cahill, Assistant Commissioner for Operations*

*Jaclyn Grant, Statewide Director of Self-Directed Services, 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:** June 5, 2024 | September 4, 2024 | December 4,2024 | March 5, 2025