

SELF-DETERMINATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

September 1, 2016

MINUTES

PRESENT

Michelle Wolf, Chair
Karla Garcia-Diaz
Bruce Harrell
Lareka Killebrew
Pierre Landry
Mariko Magami
Howard McBroom
Melinda Sullivan
Enrique Roman

NOT PRESENT

Linda An
Hannah Liddell
Zulma Mena

GUESTS

Victor Lira
Christine Sheppard

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mr. Landry moved to approve the minutes of May 5, 2016, Mr. McBroom seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

SELF-DETRMINATION UPDATE

Ms. Sullivan advised the Committee that there has been no movement on the Self-Determination Program Waiver Application to date, but there has been ongoing discussion with CMS.

SDP OUTREACH STRATEGY

Mr. Roman provided an update on the outreach strategy for the Self-Determination Program as follows:

1. Service coordinators are meeting with clients and families quarterly or annually to inform them about the Self- Determination Program.
2. The regional center continues to add names to the established special email address list for families interested in Self-Determination. Currently the list is at 172. Mr. Roman provided a list of those on the Self-Determination List by Ethnicity.
3. Regional Center staff continues to meet with support groups and disseminate information. Training was done in August 2016 and it was well received.

NAVIGATING FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICE (FMS)

Victor Lira from Premier and Christine Sheppard from Community Interface Services provided a presentation on Navigating Financial Management Service (FMS). Discussion and questions followed.

MEETING SCHEDULE

- **October – DARK**
- November 3, 2016
- **December – DARK**

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

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