

**Disability Advisory Board Agenda**  
**September 12, 2016 (2<sup>nd</sup> Monday) – 2 pm to 4pm**  
**2010 E. Michigan St., Facilities Training Room**



- I. Call the meeting to Order & Pledge of Allegiance (2 pm)
- II. Welcome by Chairperson, Jose Fernandez

**MISSION STATEMENT:** *Dedicated to improving the life conditions of people with disabilities through community awareness, communication, and advocacy providing information and referral resources through community service efforts.*

- III. Roll Call & Confirmation of a Quorum  
  
Board members: Jose Fernandez, Elizabeth McCarthy, Brian Michaels, Tiffany Namey, Kirk Root, Reinaldo Vazquez and Joe Waczewski
- IV. Introductions by all attendees (name, organization only)
- V. Meeting Minutes Approval
  - June 13 Monthly Meeting
- VI. Presentation: Division of Blind Services (Technology and services for visually impaired)
- VII. Community Advisor Reports/News
  - Access Lynx (MV Transit) – Tim May, Benjamin Gonzalez, Tiffany Jones
  - Agency for Persons with Disabilities – Reed Stephan
  - Canine Companions – Melinda Sowers
  - Career Source – Anthony Polozzolo
  - Catholic Charities – Daisy Clemente
  - Center for Independent Living – John Hurt
  - Division of Blind Services – Donna Rhoades
  - MTM Transport (NEMT) – Lisa Rivera, Pam Canavan
  - Primrose Center –
  - Quest Inc. – Sue Koziol
  - UCP of Central Florida – Rick Stanley
  - Vocational Rehabilitation – Johny Pierre

VIII. Old Business

IX. New Business Items for awareness or discussion

- Selection of representative/liaison to Community Action Board

X. Board Member Reports

XI. ADA Advisor Report/County News

XII. Public Comments

*People wishing to speak must complete a speaker card (yellow) please obtain from the advisor. Each speaker is limited to two minutes.*

XIII. Meeting adjournment

Next meeting: October 10, 2016, 2010 E. Michigan St., Facilities Training Center Meeting Room. Tentative Presentation: Central Florida Disability Chamber

*For Public Comment Form – see ADA, Advisor*

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