

South Central Los Angeles Regional Center Advocates Advisory Committee

January 23, 2023

AAC Meeting Minutes

Members in Attendance

Renard Stanford
Sean Davison

Ana Torres

Carol Erby

Darnell Hayes

Atayvia Roberts

Lee Price

Todd Rubien (WRC)

Linda Butler (WRC)

Suzanne Paggi (NLARC)

Alex Phuong (ELARC)

Jordan Fienstock (NLARC)

Members Absent

Caycee Ricketts
Macedonia Mendoza
Jacqueline Williams
Raul Munoz
Andrew Richard

Others Attending

Desiree Boykin (Advocate)
Nowana Buchanan (Advocate Specialist)

1. Call Meeting to Order

- a. Renard Stanford (AAC Treasurer) called the meeting to order at 10:10 am
- b. Everyone introduced themselves for this meeting.
- c. ACC members approved the minutes for December and January agenda was approve
- d. The Ground rules were read by our AAC Treasurer Renard Stanford
- e. The AAC Bylaws were read

2. The Internship/ New Topics

- a. SCLARC is having anew internship program through CID its 18 month program ending in 2024. That will give individuals to have work experience.
- b. Topics AAC members would like to have for this year How to keep a job, How to deal with unemployment, Relationships, Transportation, Sensitivity Training, and EVV
- c. Recreational topics going to the park, Fitness, exercise

3. Old Business

Topic: Remembering 2022

- a. AAC Treasurer Renard reviewed the topics we discussed this year.
- b. AAC members also discuss what they will be doing for Christmas
- c. AAC members review all the topics discuss this year
- d. AAC Officer Stanford also mention our friend the late Alan Mc Dowell
- e. AAC members went around saying what they like about 2022
- f. Advocate Specialist Nowana Buchanan also talks about how much she enjoys working with all the AAC members.
- g. AAC members send positive thoughts to one of the AAC members
- h. Advocate Desiree Boykin thanked everyone for their time and attending the meeting

4. Announcements

- a. Our next AAC meeting February 27, 2023, from 10:00am-12pm

b. SABLAC next meeting February 2nd, 2023 from 1pm- 3pm on zoom for more email Suzanne Paggi suzdpaggi@gmail.com 818 421-4439

c. Stay safe and stay healthy

5. **End of the meeting**

Renard Stanford (AAC Treasurer) adjourned the meeting at 11:30 am.

Thank you for your support

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