

**Governor's Committee on Disability Issues and Employment
Legislative Workgroup (LWG)**



**Meeting Agenda
Friday, September 1, 2023
9:00 to 10:00 a.m.**

Topic: Legislative Workgroup

Time: September 1, 2023, 09:00 AM

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AGENDA

- 1) Welcome; Call to Order and Attendance.
- 2) Get (re)acquainted with who's on the LWG now, via member introductions including what they hope to gain and contribute.
- 3) Talk about changes, specifically LWG now an official subcommittee and possible restructure (at a high level?)
- 4) Go over the list of training ideas and requests (from LWG members sent in response to Elaine)

- **DRW “How To” Series** (included: how to lobby, how to give testimony, how to be an advocate?) – this was great! I want to do it again.
 - **Legislature 101** – could include: how to find a bill, how a bill is written, what is a prime sponsor, legal ways to lobby, how to be an effective advocate (during off-session, maybe having local legislators and/or their AA’s share their Do/Don’t list?)
 - **Effective Communication** – in writing, in person, in testimony
 - **Media Relations**
- 5) Brainstorm expanding our focus beyond legislative to include local government
 - 6) Prioritize - either at the meeting or via follow-up survey - top three training topics
 - 7) Next Meeting: Friday, September 22, 2023.
 - 8) Public Comment (If necessary).
 - 9) Adjournment.