



Self-Determination Advisory Committee (SDAC) Meeting Agenda

June 1, 2026

5:00 PM to 7:00PM

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AGENDA

1) Call to Order

2) Establish of Quorum

A. A quorum is defined as more than half of the committee members being present, which is required for any official votes to take place. For this committee, at least four members must be present to conduct a vote. However, if a quorum is not met, the committee may still convene to discuss topics and engage in problem solving activities without voting on any matter.

B. There are Six members of this committee

- a. Sandra Van Scotter, chair (SCDD appointee)
- b. Rick Wood, co-chair (SCDD appointee)
- c. Erica Clark (OCRA representative, required by statute),
- d. Norma Tuiasosopo (Family Resource Center representative- Exceptional Families Center, required by statute)
- e. Lorie Stewart (SCDD appointee)
- f. Kelly Kulzer-Reyes (KRC Appointee)
- g. Nicholas Lutton (SCDD representative, required by statute)

3) If you are interested in serving, please contact KRC's Enrique Roman,

Enrique.Roman@kernrc.org or Nicholas Lutton, Nicholas.Lutton@scdd.ca.gov

Additional Items: Discussion items can be added. Items added here cannot be voted on today. You can also mention things you would like to focus on at a future meeting.

4) Public Comment: Comments about items not on the agenda are welcome! If your concern/topic is on the agenda, please join the discussion and add your thoughts there, too.

5) Approval of SDLVAC Minutes **Action**

A. October 5, 2026 (Attachment 1)

6) Vote to appoint new Chair **Action**

7) Status of SDP (Wood/ Van Scotter) **Discussion**

A. Celebrations (all)

B. Obstacles (all)

C. Directives (Wood/ Van Scotter)

D. Statewide Committee updates (Wood/ Van Scotter)

8) KRC Updates **Discussion**

A. Self-Determination Program (SDP) Enrollment

B. SDP updates on process and procedures on the website

C. General Updates on the Self-Determination Program

9) Topics for Next Meeting **Discussion**

C. Members of the public – suggestions welcome

Upcoming meeting 2026 SDLVAC meeting schedule:

November 2, 2026

December 7, 2026

10) Adjournment **Action**

Attachment 1

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Self -Determination Advisory Committee (SDAC) Meeting Minutes

October 5, 2026

1. The meeting called to order at 5:03 pm.
2. Quorum Established: A quorum was not confirmed.
Members in attendance:
Rick Wood (Co-Chair)
Norma Tuiasosopo
Kelly Kulzer-Reyes
Lorie Stewart
Sandra Van Scotter (Co-Chair)
3. Additional Items:
 - A. None
4. Public Comment:
 - A. None.
5. Status of SDP (Wood/ Van Scotter)
 - A. Celebrations (all)
 - Celebrations: An attendee shared smooth transition from one FMS to a different FMS.
 - Attendees shared success IF training with Taft College and collaboration of IF agencies.
 - Attendees shared possible employment and employment support between STP and Mammoth Mountain.
 - E. Obstacles (all)
 - None
 - F. Directives (Wood/ Van Scotter)
 - G. Statewide Committee updates (Wood/ Van Scotter)
 - No new Statewide updates.

- Rick is serving as a consultant to develop the SDP project, one new training on SDP members' roles and responsibilities.
- Enrique has joined the SDP workgroup.
- Rick is serving as a consultant to develop SDP project.

6. Approval of Minutes for the following months:

Minutes will be approved at another meeting.

7. KRC Updates

A. Self Determination Program (SDP) Enrollment

- As of October 1, 2026, a total of 408 participants are enrolled in SDP.
- New Transitions: 10 Bakersfield; 7 are Hispanic, 2 are White/Caucasian, and 1 is African American.
- Discussed total numbers and demographics of participants in SPD.

B. Monthly report on the awardees of the SDP Implementation

- RFP contracts have been signed.
 - Ally attended the EFC Hispanic conference, in which they interacted with 40 individuals. Ally is coaching 6 participants
 - Community Integration Specialist is coaching 9 participants and is also providing Lunch and Learns.
 - DVU will be meeting with the Hispanic community in early November.

8. Topics for Next Meeting

A. Members of the public- suggestions welcome

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9. Meeting adjourned at 6:02 pm.