CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC) TO THE

READING OFFICE OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION (OVR)

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MEETING AGENDA

NOTE: Meeting Agenda is posted on Pennsylvania Rehabilitation Council (PaRC) website.

TYPE: PA OVR Statewide CAC Officers Meeting (Open To The Public)

LOCATION: Virtual via Zoom or Call-In

DATE: July 9th, 2024 TIME: 9:00am - 12:00pm

RECORDED BY: Chris Harbert, Administrator to the State Board of VR

NOTE: Meeting was coordinated, hosted, and recorded by PA OVR.

MISSION STATEMENT: To assist Pennsylvanians with disabilities to secure and maintain employment and independence.

- 9:00 9:40 Welcome & Opening Remarks Ryan Hyde, Executive Director, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR)
 - Chair Roll Call & Introductions Chris Harbert, State Board Administrator. OVR
- 9:40 9:50 Pennsylvania Rehabilitation Council Updates Passle Helminski & Andrew Pennington, Council Members
- 9:50 10:10 Youth in CAC Natasha Fletcher, Hunter Steinitz, Hayley Penn, PaTTAN Youth Engagement Specialists
- 10:10 10:25 BREAK
- 10:30 10:45 CAC History & Expectations Jim Whitonis, VR Specialist, OVR
- 10:45 11:00 Overview of the State Board and Rehabilitation Council Chris Harbert, OVR
- 11:00 11:20 OVR Case Process Kim Baskett, Reading District Administrator, OVR
- 11:20 11:50 Chair/Co-Chair Open Discussion of Topics, Concerns, & Local Updates Chris Harbert, OVR
- 11:50 12:00 Public Comment

NEXT CAC CHAIR MEETING: To Be Determined